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DENTIST
Over Corsicana National Bank
Residence 869
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# ROBBERS CUT TRAIN AND CARRY AWAY LARGE AMOUNT LOOT; NO ALCOHOL CARRIED

By Associated Press.

Minneapolis, March 11.—Evidently in search for liquor, highwaymen severed a Minneapolis and Saint Louis freight train near Eden, Illinois, broke the seals on twenty-two cars cut from the train, but escaped with no loot, according to a report made to the railroad headquarters here.

By Associated Press.

Peoria, Ill., March 11.—A Minneapolis, and Saint Louis freight train was held up near here today.

The robbers cut the train, allowing some of the cars to roll back down a hill, and forcing the engineer to proceed with the remainder of the train, reports to the sheriff's office said.

In a similar holdup on the Rock Island road near here several weeks ago robbers obtained a large quantity of alcohol.

The train of forty cars was cut by the robbers at Eden, eleven cars remaining with the engine.

Holding the brakeman the robbers searched the remaining cars, hauling away much loot.

It was said the train carried no alcohol.

# FAIR AND COLDER IS PREDICTION FOR WEATHER CONDITIONS

## TOUCH OF FROST FORECAST FOR NORTHEASTERN TEXAS THURSDAY NIGHT

By Associated Press.

Dallas, Texas, March 11.—Fair and colder weather, with a touch of frost in Northeastern Texas, was the weather bureau's forecast for tonight and tomorrow.

General rains the past two days have brought forth songs of prosperity from various sections of the state.

Corn planters particularly were benefited by the rains.

# GOV. WHITFIELD OF MISSISSIPPI SIGNED EVOLUTION BILL

## TEACHING OF CERTAIN THEORIES PROHIBITED STATE SUPPORTED SCHOOLS

By Associated Press.

Jackson, Miss., March 11.—Governor Whitfield today signed the bill prohibiting the teaching of certain theories of evolution in the state-supported schools of Mississippi.

The bill specifies the theories setting forth that man ascended or descended from the lower order of animals.

"Corsicana Has It."

# SEPARATE INCOME TAX RETURNS WILL BE PERMITTED YET

## RULING ON MATTER FROM UNITED STATES ATTORNEY GENERAL AWAITED

By Associated Press.

Austin, Texas, March 11.—Husbands and wives will be allowed to continue filing separate income tax returns, with each reporting one-half of the community income, pending receipt of an opinion by the United States attorney general, John Bass, collector of internal revenue here, was advised today by Commissioner Blair of Washington.

Read the Sun—get all the news

# PONZI WON POINT IN COURT THURSDAY IN HIS FRAUD TRIAL

## GOVERNMENT WILL NOT INSIST ON BOOKS BEING PRODUCED

By Associated Press.

Jacksonville, Fla., March 11.—Charles Ponzi, charged by the federal government with using the mails to defraud, won a technical point in his resumed hearing today when Francis Poor, assistant United States attorney, announced that the government would not insist on Ponzi producing the records of the business of the Charpon Land Syndicate, which Ponzi headed and in which he sold units of indebtedness.

# STATE RESTS IN HIGDON CASE AFTER READING OF HIS ALLEGED CONFESSION

By Associated Press.

Wewoka, Okla., March 11.—The confession of Erman Higdon, aged twenty-two, that he shot and killed his sweetheart, Rita May Gosa, after she had admitted that she was to become a mother, was read to the jury this morning over objections of the defense.

Higdon is being tried on the charge of murder in connection with the shooting of the girl two hours before they were to have been married on February 14th.

Immediately after the reading of the confession the state rested.

It is believed Higdon's defense will be temporary insanity.

By Associated Press.

Wewoka, Okla., March 11.—Rita May Gosa, 17-year-old farm girl was dressed for her wedding and was waiting for her parents to accompany her to the church when she was shot to death on Feb. 14 by her fiance, Erman P. Higdon, it was testified Wednesday at the opening of Higdon's trial for murder.

Details of the love affair between the girl and her youthful sweetheart, terminated in the killing at her home while her parents were attending church in a near-by village were related by J. M. Gosa her father. Higdon is 22 years old and lived on a neighboring farm. He and the girl had ben sweethearts two years, the father said.

Gosa told how Higdon had been left alone with the girl and how he came to the church with the word that Rita May was missing. He described the search for her and the finding of the body, a bullet through the heart, in a ravine near the house.

Nearly 2,000 persons fought for a place in the courtroom to hear the story.

Higdon is said to have admitted killing the girl to W. A. Billingsley, county attorney, soon after his arrest, but pleaded not guilty when arraigned.

# TEN THOUSAND LICENSED TO WED NAVARRO COUNTY

According to the records in the county clerk's office, there have been 10,000 marriage license issued in the history of Navarro county. Thursday, marriage license No. 10,000 was issued to H. F. Oliver and Miss Elaine Molloy of Corsicana. This was the first marriage license issued in the history of Navarro county that reached a number of five figures.

The last marriage license number of four figures was issued to Fred Pearce and Vera Wilkins, No. 9,999.

# KLEBURG ELECTED PRESIDENT CATTLE RAISERS THURSDAY

By Associated Press.

Fort Worth, Texas, March 11.—Richard Kleburg of Kingsville was elected president of the Texas Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association and El Paso was named as the next convention city at the final business session of the golden anniversary convention here today.

All Tickets Should be Bought from the Cubs for

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With Norma Shearer and Lew Cody, at Palace Theatre,

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Boys' Shirts of genuine Broadcloth, all colors, $1.50 value ..... $1

$1.50 Purses Ladies' Leather Purses ..... $1

3 Bottles 50c Size Hind's Honey and Almond Cream ..... $1

Ladies' Blouses of fine woven Striped Dimity, value to $2.50 ..... $1

Men's Shirts of Poplin, collar attached, tan and white ..... $1

Ladies' $2.50 Hats New Spring Hats in bright shades ..... $1

$1.50 Overalls made of heavy weight Blue Denim ..... $1

2 1-2 Yds. Soisette Pretty new figured designs, absolutely fast, 50c grade ..... $1

2 pr. Satin House Slippers Regular $1 value, all sizes ..... $1

$1.50 Norida Compacts A loose powder compact made in silver or brass ..... $1

2 yds. Ra-Sheen A new Silk fabric, 33 inches wide, attractive figures ..... $1

2 pr. 65c Rompers of Gingham and Chambray in pretty combinations, size 2 to 6 ..... $1

Men's Felt Hats Grey, Brown and Black, Saturday only ..... $1

3-pc. Vanity Sets Two perfume bottles and Powder Jar, $1.50 value ..... $1

Adjustable Caps For boys, pretty patterns ..... $1

2 1-2 Yds. Bleached 9-4 Pepperell Sheeting ..... $1

6 Boxes Mavis Talc Regular 25c size ..... $1

Ladies $2.00 Hose Full fashioned and of pure thread Silk, Saturday only ..... $1

7 yds. Cheviot Blue and Striped on dark grounds ..... $1

3 pr. 50c Sox Men's Fancy Silk Sox, Saturday only ..... $1

Boys' L. P. Suits of fast color Outing, has novelty belt, $1.50 value ..... $1

Children's Slippers First Steps, of Patent, size 2 to 5 ..... $1

Lingette Slips Pretty Striped shades ..... $1

Men's Oxfords Black and Tan, made with high toe, all sizes ..... $1

3 Bottles Bath Salts 69c size ..... $1

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## ROADS AND RAINS

Although the recent rains have been of untold value to all crops in Navarro county yet the precipitation has again put most of the roads in this section in an impassable condition.

Navarro county is far behind other sections of the state in its road building program. Highway building in Texas during the year 1925, according to the official report issued at the close of the year by the Bureau of Public Roads, has been a notable one. In this report it is pointed out that of the forty-nine states listed, Hawaii included, Texas led in all totals, spending a total amount of $61,703,865.22, of which amount $24,125,957.83 was Federal aid money, this being the 7 per cent allotment for Texas. Of this allotment there is yet available the splendid sum of $4,979,640.84, practically five million dollars. Texas highway mileage constructed during the year is given as being 4,369 miles, and this added to the highway mileage the state previously built, and now has under construction, gives the state a magnificent total, which is approximately eighteen thousand miles.

It can be added that very little of this eighteen thousand miles of good roads are in Navarro county. Good roads will do more toward building a progressive and happy community than most any other project. Navarro county is one of the richest counties in the state and is far better able to build good roads than many counties that boast miles and miles of hard surfaced highways. Discussing the value of highways the "Glenwood Hom' Dog" publishes the following:

"Some idea of the value of a highway to a farmer as a time saver and a profit maker comes to me in the experience of a farmer living three miles east of Glenwood. When he came to Pike county to farm it took him seven days to get a load of his cro pto market. 'Going to town' entailed the lengthy and painful process each time of preparation and goodbyes all around and a week's hard trip to an uncertain market. Now, with highway facilities he can get seven loads of products a day to market and know what the price he is to receive before he starts with a load."

It would seem that all factions in Navarro county could arrive at some plan, agreeable to all, whereby a system of hard surfaced highways would result. It is only a question of time until the entire country will be traversed by a network of highways. Navarro county should not delay its road building longer. As has been said before many times bad roads cost more in the long run than do good roads.

## WELL DRESSED.

Prosperity no less than the practice of economy by Americans is indicated by the nation's annual bill of $250,000,000 for cleaning and dyeing. And the change of habits that this signifies has been made possible by altered business, industrial and social processes.

In reporting to the National Association of Cleaners and Dyers of the United States, Managing Director Frank Stutz said Americans are wearing their Sunday clothes seven days a week. It would be more accurate to say they have no "Sunday clothes." A very large proportion of those living in cities dress with more care for business than their forefathers did for church-going on Sundays. "Dirty" jobs are fewer in proportion to population than they were 30 years ago. Most city workers can be as neat personally at their daily tasks as when dressed for "society." Thanks to the general prosperity, they have more changes of raiment. They take pride in keeping their clothing in order, or they find it necessary to do so to retain the respect of others with whom they come in contact.

In an earlier period almost everybody wore out their clothes in rough work. Then a "Sunday suit" was indispensable to a man. The same was true of women who engaged mostly in housework and required a change for social occasions, for church or the theatre. In the home as well as in industry mechanical devices have relieved the workers of much of the clothes-destroying or soiling drudgery that formerly was common. Prosperity enables virtually all to have several suits and dresses. Habits of economy constrain them to have their clothing cleaned frequently. Thus Americans have become the best dressed people in the world.

## TELEPHONE FIFTY YEARS OLD

The American Telephone and Telegraph Company is celebrating the 50th birthday of the telephone today. On March 10th, 1876, Alexander Graham Bell succeeded in sending his voice over the telephone wires to his assistant, Thomas Watson. From the first two crude instruments of 1876, has grown up a nation-wide system of nearly seventeen million telephones.

Progress in the quality and extent of telephone service is the keynote in the annual report of President W. S. Gifford of the A. T. and T. Co. He states that more than 813,000 telephones were added to the Bell system during the year of 1925. At the end of the year 16,720,000 were interconnected so that practically any one of them can be connected with any one throughout the United States, at any time, day or night. Over 50,000,000 toll and exchange connections, each an individual transaction, are handled daily.

Three hundred and sixty-five million dollars was expended by the Bell system on new plant construction, including new plant to replace $107,000,000 of plant retired. Net additions to plant were $258,000,000. This brought the assets devoted to furnishing telephone service up to $2,938,000,000. The number of persons employed, including those in the Western Electric Company, was 332,000.

The Corsicana exchange is a link in this great telephone system. The local exchange is modern in every respect and has only recently installed a large amount of new equipment which will give the public better service than ever before. R. C. Sizemore, local manager assisted by his corps of experienced and efficient workers strive at all times to give their patrons prompt and satisfactory service and their efforts are very much appreciated by the general public.

In connection with the observance of the 50th anniversary all employes of the telephone company are wearing buttons calling attention to the fact that the half century mark has been passed in telephone achievement.

Another fitting celebration of the 50th anniversary occurred in New York Sunday when newspaper men in London and New York conversed over a wireless telephone, a distance of 3,000 miles. The basic patents of Alexander Graham Bell are used in this wireless phone. The voices were heard distinctly and the Americans even heard the chimes at St. Paul's Cathedral. Public wireless telephone service is expected to be established between the two continents by Autumn.

Do not become so enthusiastic in behalf of your favorite candidate as to lose your temper. The campaign no doubt will be hot and the "fur will fly" but there is no use making an enemy of your best friend just because he does not think as you do politically. It will soon be over. We all have to live here together. Let's not have regrets when the campaign is over.

The fact that more feed crops will be planted this year is evidenced by information obtained by who point out that the demand for the United States Department of Agriculture from 2500 retail dealers red clover, sweet clover, alfalfa, cowpeas, soy beans, and seed corn are expected to be greater than last year.

W. J. Jayes of Waco was in Corsicana today.

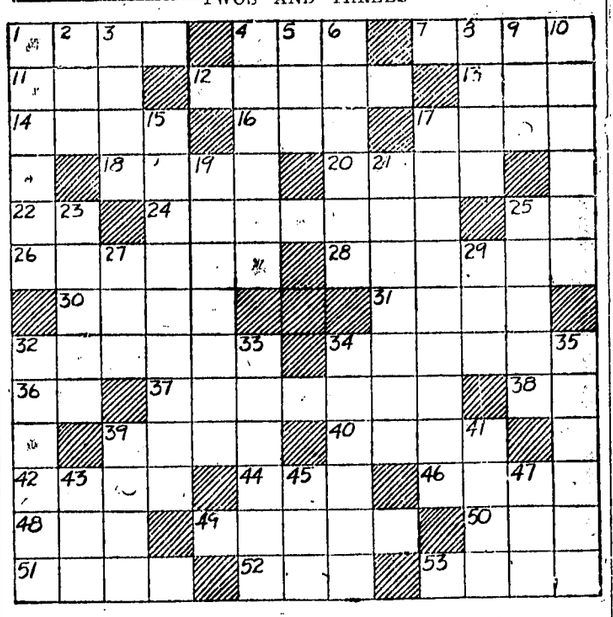
W. F. Nenny returned Tuesday night from Rockdale. His car stuck in the mud a few miles out of town and had to be towed in.

Zolly Rochelle of Mexia was in Corsicana Tuesday afternoon.

W. T. Wilson of Rice was in Corsicana Tuesday.

## Today's Cross-Word Puzzle

TWOS AND THREES



**HORIZONTAL**

1—a plant
4—injure
7—a bitter plant
11—an age
12—pile of sticks
13—bring forth as young
14—part of the eye
16—a French coin
17—insects
18—smaller
20—washing utensils
22—Northwestern State
24—the wife of a peer
25—famous President's initials
26—covered vehicles
28—an edict
30—game of cards
31—not fat
32—take warning
34—tried
36—suffix
37—state of being wicked
38—in accordance with
39—or
40—on the ocean
42—highest point
44—distress signal
46—narrow aperture
48—thou (Fr.)
49—a twig used for basketry
50—a pair
51—girl's name
52—belonging to Al
53—one who does

**VERTICAL**

1—imagines
2—fall into error
3—rant
4—large quantities
5—gone
6—defeated
8—part of an eyeglass
9—a grain of a certain cereal grass
10—to make secure
15—capable of being divided
17—pus pockets
19—Spanish ladies
21—of no account
23—to put off
25—doctrine
27—a bird of the crow family
29—a rodent
32—to delay past the hour
33—ancient city in Turkey
34—annoys
35—medical man
38—issue
41—a singing part
43—a bed
45—lubricant
47—to be in debt

Herewith is solution to yesterday's puzzle.

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## Farmers Want Column

**Rates—One cent a word for each insertion. Count your words, send ad to this office, giving number of times you want it to run, together with check or money order to cover cost. No ad taken for less than 25 cents. Cash must accompany each ad.**

FOR SALE—Pure bred Ancona eggs, $1.25 per setting. Postpaid. R. C. McSwain, Rt. 3, Kerens, Texas.

LOST—White and black spotted hound dog on Richland creek south of The Ward Bridge. Finder notify W. N. Slone, Corbet, Texas.

12 WEEKS OLD S. C. W. Leghorn pullets for sale. For particulars write or phone Geo. Weaver, Dawson, Texas.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Kimberry piano. S. P. Todd at Powell.

WILL TRADE—Good five passenger Reo touring car in excellent condition for equity in farm or city property. Must pay some cash difference. Will consider trade for most anything of equal value. C. J. Knox, at Central State Bank, Corsicana, Texas.

PUREBRED Single Comb Dark Brown Leghorn hatching eggs, $1.50 per setting; $7.00 per 100, from Arthur T. Bridges (AA) grade matings. Splendid layers. Miss Annie Carroll, Blooming Grove, Texas.

COTTON SEED FOR SALE—First year Mebane of first picking only while they last at $1.40 per bushel. Not many left. H. E. Wassell, Corsicana.

FARMERS—Order your seed direct. Carefully selected, heavily recleaned, tested, pure seed. Dwarf Red Maize, $3.25. Standard Maize, $3.25. Dwarf Kaffir, $3.25. Sudan, $5.00. Seeded Ribbon Cane, $3.75. Red Top Cane, $3.75. Hegari, $4.00; Darso $4.00. Sureropper Corn, $3.50 per bushel. Tom Watson Watermelon Seed, no white hearts, per pound, 85c. All delivered your station. Sudan Grain & Elevator Company, Sudan, Texas.

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First year Bryant's Mebane Cotton Seed at only $1.50 per bushel. These seed were raised on our demonstration farm and are of fine quality.
The price is right so order early.
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FOR SALE—40 tons of big boll early Anton cotton seed, first year from pedigreed seed, 30 per cent lint. Reference, Anton Cotton Seed Co., Venus, Texas. $1.50 per bushel. Apply on farm in Brown's Valley. John T. Slime.

SUDAN $5.00. Hegari $3.25. Red Top, Amber and Seeded Ribbon Cane $3.50; Big German Millet Feterita and Darso $4.25. Dwarf Yellow Maize, White and Red Kaffir $3.00 per 100 pounds. Recleaned, pure tested seeds; freight paid to Texas towns. Texas Seed Co., Box 197, Amarillo, Texas.

FOR SALE—Buffed Leghorn setting eggs or baby chicks. T. L. Swink, Dawson, Route 3.

ENGLISH White Leghorn hatching eggs $7.00 per 100. I have a flock of real quality. You get layers when you buy here. A. L. Carroll, Barry, Texas, Rt. 2.

FOR SALE—First year Kasch Cotton Seed. Tested 99 per cent pure by State Department. $1.50 per bushel at my barn. H. C. Couch, Kerens, Texas, P. O. Box 165.

EGGS EGGS—S. C. W. Leghorn eggs, $1.50 per 15, $8.00 per hundred. See O. C. Goodwin, Corsicana, Rt. 1, near Zions Rest School.

TO TRADE—Good 8 room home close in on paved street with all conveniences, good neighbors for a smaller home and more ground short distance out of city. Will give good trade for place that suits me. Address "H" care Daily Sun giving all particulars.

TO TRADE—Good five room home close in on paved street with all conveniences

## Election For County School Trustees

STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF NAVARRO.

To Whom It May Concern:

Notice is hereby given that there will be an election held on Saturday, 3rd day of April A. D. 1926 in each and every school district at the school house thereof in Commissioners' principals one and two, and the polls in said district will be opened at 8 a. m. and closed at 6 p. m. on the said day for the purpose of electing one County Trustee for each of said Commissioners precincts one and two.

There shall also be held at the same time and place in all school districts, at school house thereof in Navarro county the election for the purpose of electing one school trustee at large for Navarro county.

Said election shall be held at the same time, at the same place, and by the election officers appointed by the district school board to hold the election of trustees in the common school districts.

Only qualified voters of common school districts are permitted to participate in the election. The County Judge will receive from any person names for the office of County School Trustees. These names must be in the County Judge's possession one week before said election. One week prior to said election the county election board will canvass the names and prepare ballots in accordance with the form of ballots described by the State Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Witness my hand and seal of office this the 10th day of March A. D. 1926.

WARREN HICKS.
County Judge Navarro County, Texas.

# CHAMBERS CREEK IS REPORTED OUT BANKS IN COUNTY THURSDAY

Chambers creek is reported out of banks today, as the result of the recent heavy rains in Navarro county and further up the creek. The ground had become thoroughly saturated by the rains of last week and the hard rain of Tuesday night put practically all tributaries to Chambers creek to an overflow stage, with the result that the creek itself is now spreading out over the bottom.

It is not anticipated that the overflow will reach a stage where any considerable damage will be done to property or the planted crops along the lowlands near the creek.

Helen Doty and mother were here last night from Dallas.

W. F. Humphreys was here from Austin today.

good neighbors for a smaller home and more ground short distance out of city. Will give good trade for place that suits me. Address "H" care Daily Sun giving all particulars.

## Announcements.

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY.

The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Light is authorized to announce L. Grant J. Woods as a candidate for the office of County Attorney, of Navarro County, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Light is authorized to announce W. W. Harris as a candidate for the office of County Attorney for Navarro County, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

FOR TAX COLLECTOR.

The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Light is authorized to announce George W. Boyd as a candidate for the office of Tax Collector of Navarro County for a second term, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

FOR TAX ASSESSOR.

The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Light is authorized to announce Ralph Carroll as a candidate for the office of Tax Assessor of Navarro county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Light is authorized to announce A. M. Keathley as a candidate to the office of Tax Assessor of Navarro county subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

The Semi-Weekly Light is authorized to announce Dock J. Martin as a candidate for the office of Tax Assessor of Navarro county subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

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FOR COUNTY JUDGE.

The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Light is authorized to announce Warren Hicks as a candidate for the office of County Judge of Navarro County for a second term, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

FOR COUNTY CLERK.

The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Light is authorized to announce Mrs. L. E. Hervey as a candidate for the office of county clerk of Navarro county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

The Semi-Weekly Morning Light is authorized to announce the name of W. L. Merrell as a candidate for the office of County Clerk of Navarro county subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

The Semi-Weekly Morning Light is authorized to announce the name of Frank R. Young as a candidate for the office of County Clerk of Navarro county subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

The Semi-Weekly Light is authorized to announce the name of L. L. Powell as a candidate for County Clerk of Navarro county subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

FOR SHERIFF.

The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Morning Light is authorized to announce John W. Stewart as a candidate for a second term as sheriff of Navarro county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

FOR COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT.

Corsicana Semi-Weekly Light is authorized to announce D. D. Hanks as candidate for the office of County Superintendent of Navarro county subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

The Semi-Weekly Light is authorized to announce T. J. (Jeff) Oliver as candidate for County Treasurer, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Morning Light is authorized to announce the name of George B. Wallace as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Navarro county subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

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The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Light is authorized to announce J. M. McFadden as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Light is authorized to announce Frank Mitchell as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Light is authorized to announce the name of W. H. (Will) Smith as a candidate for the office of county treasurer of Navarro county subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

COMMISSIONERS PRECINCT NO. 1.

The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Light is authorized to announce N. F. Garrett as a candidate to the office of Commissioner of Precinct No. 1 of Navarro county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

The Semi-Weekly Light is authorized to announce Rod F. Kenner as a candidate to the office of Commissioner of Precinct No. 1 of Navarro county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

The Semi-Weekly Light is authorized to announce Jack Megarity as a candidate for the office of Commissioner of Precinct No. 1 of Navarro County, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, PRECINCT NO. 1, PLACE NO. 1.

The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Morning Light is authorized to announce Sam B. Jordan as a candidate for Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1, Place 1, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

JUSTICE PEACE PRECINCT NO. 1, PLACE NO. 2.

The Corsicana Semi Weekly Light is authorized to announce the name of J. J. Sullivan as a candidate for the office of Justice of the Peace Precinct No. 1, Place No. 2, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

FOR COMMISSIONED PRECINCT NO. 2.

The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Morning Light is authorized to announce Ben F. Guynes as a candidate for reelection to the office of Commissioner of Precinct No. 2, subject to the action of the action of the Democratic primaries.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 3.

The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Light is authorized to announce Reuben Milligan as a candidate for reelection to the office of Commissioner of Precinct No. 3, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

Precinct No. 4.

The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Light is authorized to announce D. T. Colins as a candidate for reelection to the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 4 of Navarro county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

CONSTANBLE PRECINCT NO. 1.

The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Light is authorized to announce the name of J. J. Howard as a candidate for reelection to the office of constable of Precinct No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 4.

The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Light is authorized to announce W. A. Simms as a candidate for the office of Commissioner of Precinct No. 4 of Navarro County subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

## Tripp Hardware Co. Staging Big Sale

Jas. J. Furlong of the Hastings Sales Inc. of Kansas City, Mo., is in the city to direct a ten days stock reduction sale that will be put on by the C. A. Tripp Hardware firm, the date of the opening of the big sale to be Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock. Mr. Tripp, who has a store brimming full of high quality and a big variety of everything expected of a modern hardware store, announces that everything in stock is to be sacrificed during his ten day sale, during which time special bargain prices are offered those who take advantage of this sale.

Mr. Furlong who is an experienced sales and advertising manager, will assist Mr. Tripp during the ten days sale, and this firm is looking forward to one of the biggest ten days' business ever enjoyed before in the history of the firm, as well as is the first big hardware sale that has ever been put on before in the city.

# AGED CORSICANAN DIED AT RESIDENCE DAUGHTER TODAY

## W. J. WILLIAMSON PASSES AWAY AT AGE OF 96 YEARS

W. J. Williamson, age 96 years, nine month, nine days, died at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. George F. Miller, 1250 West Second avenue, Tuesday afternoon at 2:15 o'clock, following a lingering illness, and the remains will be interred Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mr. Williamson was born in Alabama May 29, 1829. He has been a resident of Corsicana for thirty-three years.

The deceased was a veteran of the Civil War.

Surviving is one daughter, Mrs. George F. Miller of Corsicana. His wife preceded him in death several years ago.

The funeral services will be held at the First Baptist church, Rev. E. C. Routh, editor of the Baptist Standard and supply pastor of the church here, will conduct the services. Interment will be made in Oakwood cemetery.

# INTERNAL REVENUE AGENT WILL RETURN CORSICANA FRIDAY

J. A. Wellborn, representative of the internal revenue department, will return to Corsicana Friday and Saturday of this week to continue the work in aiding those desiring this service. He was in Corsicana Monday and Tuesday and stated that the response for this service was larger than ever before. His headquarters were at the Chamber of Commerce building.

Those desiring aid on the tax matters can get in touch with him Friday and Saturday at the Chamber of Commerce.

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J. E. Welch of Houston was here Wednesday.

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S. F. Baker was here today from Tyler.

A. H. Counts of Pittsburgh was in town today.


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THE MANS SHOP


# JOHNNY MARBERRY SIGNED CORSICANA OILER CONTRACT AND WILL RECEIVE A TRYOUT

The latest prospective player for the Oilers this season was signed Monday when Johnny Marberry signed a contract for a trial as an infielder, Manager Johnny Vann announced Monday afternoon.

Johnny Marberry is a brother of the famous Fred Marberry, premier relief pitcher of the Washington Senators of the American League. He is only twenty years of age and is a husky athlete.

He has played semi-pro baseball about Streetman and other towns in that vicinity and those who have seen him in action state that he is promising. In the event that he develops into a player like his older brother, the Oilers will likely sell him for a neat sum. Fred Marberry wintered in Corsicana and stated that he desired his brother to begin under a man of the calibre of Manager Johnny Vann and used his influence to get him for the Oilers. In the event that he makes the grade and his cousin, another infielder who has signed for a trial comes through two of the infielders of the Oilers may be Marberrys.

## RESCUERS ATTEMPT REACH REMAINING MINERS ENTOMBED

### NINE BODIES HAVE BEEN TAKEN FROM WEST VIRGINIA MINE

By Associated Press.

Eccles, W. Va., March 9.—The known dead in the mine explosion here last night was increased to nine today as the rescue workers broke through the barrier of debris and found eight additional bodies near the shaft at the bottom of the Crab Orchard Imprevement Company's No. 5 mine.

The workers redoubled their efforts to press their way into the damaged workings to find alive some of the twenty other miners entombed by the blast.

Thirty-nine other men escaped from the mine when the explosion occurred.

By Associated Press.

Eccles, W. Va., March 9.—Of sixty-nine miners entombed Monday night in mines Nos. 5 and 6 of the Crab Orchard Improvement Company near here, one is known to have been killed, thirty-seven were rescued alive and thirty-one are entombed.

Mine officials said the original blast occurred in Mine No. 5, where the thirty-one entombed men were working, and that it spread to No. 6, trapping the others. Rescue crews went into No. 6 shortly after the blast occurred, and brought out the survivors. They said this mine was little affected by the blast.

No. 5 mine was filled with poisonous gases and the rescue men could not go down the shaft. The two bodies were found in a lateral connecting the mines.

After viewing the efforts of rescue crews to get into the gas-filled tunnels, mine bosses expressed the belief that the fate of the men would not be determined before daylight. They held little hope for the men, as they said the explosion was terrific.

The rescuers were being aided by doctors from all surrounding mining towns. A state mine department motor rescue car, stationed at Beckley, was at the scene. In this car the burned and gassed men were being treated.

The cause of the explosion was undetermined. Men familiar with mines said they believed it was a gas blast.

## ANTI-SMUGGLING TREATY IS SIGNED HAVANA THURSDAY

By Associated Press.

Havana, March 11.—The general anti-smuggling treaty between the United States and Cuba, known as the Convention for Mutual Assistance, was signed today by the American ambassador and the Cuban secretary of state.

Jno. Bray of Vernon was here today.

Trice Sneed of Abilene was here Wednesday.

## DR. MELTON CALLED AS PASTOR LOCAL BAPTIST CHURCH

Dr. W. W. Melton, pastor of the Seventh and James Baptist church of Waco, was unanimously called by the congregation of the First Baptist church here Wednesday night to succeed Dr. E. P. Kennedy, resigned, as pastor of the church, it was announced Thursday afternoon.

Dr. Melton has been pastor of the church in Waco for a number of years. His church there is located near Baylor University, and a large part of his congregation consists of Baylor University students.

W. M. Thompson has returned from the Amarillo oil field district where he has been for the past several days.

R. Johnson of Dallas was here today.


# Jarrell-Elliott D. G. Co.

## *Specials For The Week*

In Tuesday's Semi-Weekly we adevrtised a special selling of seasonable merchandise at unusual low prices. This sale was for the week and if you have not already been in be sure not to miss this in the next TWO days. The articles advertised are your every-day needs such as:

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Standard drop forged Pliers, an all-purpose tool, special

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Extra Fine Steel Hammers, standard make and size

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White China Cups and Saucers. Set of six, special

**$1.00**

**Plates**

6 fine white china dinner plates, special

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## TIGERS REGISTERED 703 POINTS DURING TWENTY-ONE GAMES

### OPPOSITION REGISTERED AN AVERAGE OF 18 POINTS PER GAME

The 1926 basketball season is over! The team has disbanded for the year and some of the players have reported to Coach Johnny Pierce for the baseball team. The season was climaxed for the Tigers when they entered the University of Texas Interscholastic League basketball tournament in Austin Friday and Saturday of last week. The Tigers were champions of thirteen counties when they went to Austin. They won the first two games played there and lost the third and final game of their competition in Austin to the Brackenridge Royal Purple cagers of San Antonio in the game which determined the championship among the high school cagers of Texas. The Tigers played a strenuous schedule during the year and some of the strongest teams of the State were pitted against the Tigers. Among those strong teams encountered during the season by the locals were Grand Saline, Fort Worth Panther Triangles, Y. M. H. A. of Dallas, Gatesville, Austin, San Antonio, and others.

The Corsicana team won the Class A title of Navarro county when they downed the Kerens Bobcats in a couple of games. The championship of Navarro county went to Corsicana when the Blooming Grove cagers forfeited their scheduled game and refused to play the Tigers for the county title. The Tigers won the district title when they smothered the Rio Vista cagers and won the bi-district championship against the Gatesville Hornets in Waco.

The team received a silver loving cup and eight silver medals at the University Interscholastic League tournament for winning second place in the competition.

The same Tigers won second place in the A. A. U. tournament in Dallas in the tournament held there in 1925.

Clarence Horn, scoring threat of the Tigers, accounted for 316 scores during the year. The entire opposition in the twenty-one games made 373 points for an average of a little less than eighteen points. The Tigers scored 703 points for an average per game of a little more than thirty-three points.

Following is the record for the season for the Corsicana Tiger basketball team.

December 11—Corsicana 37, Faculty All-Stars 11.

December 18—Corsicana 31, Arlington Heights (Fort Worth) 11.

December 19—Corsicana 37, Arlington Heights 10.

December 25—Corsicana 8, Grand Saline 29.

December 26—Corsicana 19, Grand Saline 17.

January 7—Corsicana 28, Fort Worth Triangles 20.

January 8—Corsicana 34, Gaston Avenue (Dallas) 11.

January 15—Corsicana 43, Kerens 22.

January 19—Corsicana 14, Kerens 13.

January 22—Corsicana 39, Waco 13.

January 26—Corsicana 30, Y. M. H. A. (Dallas) 24.

February 2—Corsicana 53, Polytechnic (Fort Worth) 24.

February 7—Corsicana 63, Midlothian 16.

February 12—Corsicana 27, S. M. U. Colts 18.

February 13—Corsicana 38, Stephenville 16.

February 20—Corsicana 45, Rio Vista 9.

February 23—Corsicana 24, Baylor Cubs 36.

February 26—Corsicana 27, Gatesville 12.

March 5—Corsicana 21, Sanderson 11.

March 6—Corsicana 29, Austin 21.

March 6—Corsicana 23, San Antonio 29.

Total Scores—Corsicana 703, opposition 373.

## VISIT OF MASKED BAND BRINGS DEATH AND INJURY IN WAKE

### FARMER KILLED AND TWO LUMBERMEN INJURED—SHERIFF WON'T ACT

By Associated Press.

Royston, Ga., March 11.—Walton Adams, a farmer, is dead, and Ben Harrison and H. L. Bigby, lumberman, were seriously wounded as a result of a shooting affray here last night which was precipitated by the visit of a band of fifty or more white robed men to Bigby's home.

The sheriff said the band had visited Bigby because of alleged attentions he had paid to a married woman here.

No arrests will be made in the case, the sheriff said, unless formal complaint is made.

Hugo Haas of Dallas was here today.

Henry McNease of Dallas was here Wednesday.

## MURDER AND SUICIDE IS VERDICT IN SAN ANTONIO DOUBLE TRAGEDY MONDAY

By Associated Press.

San Antonio, Texas, March 9.—Murder and suicide was the verdict given by Justice of the Peace Boltz today after the coroner's inquest over the knife-hacked bodies of Carl and Nora Wiley, found in a pool of blood in their home here late yesterday.

By Associated Press.

San Antonio, March 9.—C. H. Filey, were found dead in their home Monday afternoon. Police went to the place when neighbors reported that a disturbance was in progress there.

The bodies were found in a small back bedroom, huddled together in one corner. The man's head was almost severed from his body and he had serious cuts over the heart and in the stomach.

A knife blade had pierced the woman's skull, and her body bore at least 20 knife cuts, police said. She had also been hit with what police said must have been a partly broken bottle.

Two ordinary pocket knives were found in the room with the bodies. One knife was on a bed nearby and one lay on the floor. A number of broken quart and pint bottles were scattered over the floor. A gallon jug partly filled with whisky was in the room also, the police said.

The neighbors who called the police said he was first attracted by a woman's screams, and when he went to the house a man whom he recognized as Wiley slammed the door in his face and locked it.

He told police that just before the disturbance started he had seen an automobile standing in front of the house in which the Wileys lived.

Following an investigation, Chief of Detectives Sam Street and Capt. Walter Harvey expressed the theory that Wiley had killed his wife and then cut his own throat.

The police said that 18 months ago they made a call to the Wiley house and found the body of a Mexican, who had been shot to death, in the identical corner where the two bodies were found Monday, Wiley asleep by it.

Two months ago they responded to a call to the same place, Wiley having taken two shots at his wife on that occasion, the police said. They said Wiley had been confined to jail recently and was released only a few hours before the slaying.

## BASIL PENNY OF KERENS HAS BEEN AWARDED BASKETBALL LETTER TEXAS UNIVERSITY

Special to the Sun.

Austin, Texas, March 10.—Following the recommendation of the Athletic Council of the University of Texas, the following men will receive full varsity letters in basket ball for 1925-26: Captain Sandi Esquival, El Paso; Joe King, Dallas; E. W. Olle, Flatonia; Leo Baldwin, Austin; Maurice Stallter, Eastland; B. O. Penny, Kerens; Glen Higgins, Dallas; John C. Estes, Dallas; Murray Moore, Electra, and Manager Victor E. Creighton, Austin.

Reserve letters will go to John A. Lomax, Jr., Dallas; R. Guase, San Benito; Bob Gause, San Benito; Farles D. Bean, Kirbyville; Vernon Shirley, Houston, and Bernard Clinton, Waco.

Members of the freshman team meriting award are: Holly Brock, Beaumont; William H. Camp, San Gabriel; Paul Krueger, Austin; John Looney, San Antonio; Henry Sasse, Dallas; Steve Wray, Donna; W. Conaway, Brandon; M. Burnett, San Antonio; F. Estes, Dallas; Irvan Ward, Greenville; and Julian Baldwin, George Cummings and J. H. Reese, all of Austin.

S. W. Barton of Cleburne was here Wednesday.

P. L. Harder of Dallas was in Corsicana today.

J. H. Beatty of Waco was here Wednesday.

J. D. Johnson of Emhouse was in Corsicana today.

C. L. Walker of Dallas was in Corsicana Wednesday.

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## KOSSE P. T. A. WILL ENTERTAIN DISTRICT CONGRESS MOTHERS

Special to the Sun.

Kosse, Texas, March 11.—Kosse Parent-Teacher Association will entertain the ninth district congress of Mothers and Parent Teacher Associations March 17, 18, and 19, according to an announcement just made here.

No place had been selected for the meeting when the Kosse women voted to invite the congress here.

A reception at 5 p. m. March 17, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Markham will open the congress and a luncheon by the Chamber of Commerce the following day will be a feature.

Mrs. Edna Fox, social hygiene lecturer from New York, and other speakers will be here for the event. Seventy-five delegates from surrounding counties are expected to attend.

## MARKET RATINGS

There was very little change in cotton futures today. May wheat gained three cents while July advanced two cents. May corn advanced about one cent but there was not much change in July. Oats advanced slightly.

New York May cotton opened 18.54, high 18.65, low 18.52, close 18.63-65. Yesterday's close 18.61-65. July opened 17.95, high 18.10, low 17.95, close 18.10. Yesterday's close 18.05.

New Orleans May opened 17.90, high 17.97, low 17.83, close 17.92-94. Yesterday's close 17.95-94. July opened 17.38, high 17.46, low 17.34, close 17.46, Yesterday's close 17.42-43.

Liverpool May opened 9.32, closed 9.35. July opened 9.24, closed 9.26.

May wheat opened 1.61, closed 1.62 3-4. Yesterday's close 1.59 3-4. July opened 1.39 3-4, closed 1.41 3-8. Yesterday's close 1.39 1-4.

May corn opened 78 3-4, closed 77 7-8. Yesterday's close 78 5-8. July opened 81 1-2, closed 81 1-8. Yesterday's close 81 1 2.

May oats opened 40, closed 40 1-4. Yesterday's close 39 7-8. July opened 40 7-8, closed 41. Yesterday's close 40 7 8.

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W. F. Montfort went to Richland Thursday.

## A. AND M. EXTENSION DEPARTMENT LEADER VISITS CORSICANA

### ADVOCATES GROWING OF LEGUMES ON EVERY FARM IN COUNTY

C. H. Alvord, manager of the extension department of Texas A. & M. College was in Corsicana Thursday for his first visit since he became the head of the work last September. He stated Thursday morning that perhaps the best demonstration of the growing of alfalfa and clover in this section of the country was shown on the Drane farm near Corsicana. He declared that this showed that legumes could be grown on upland soil.

Continuing, Mr. Alvord said, "One acre of legumes on any farm is worth more than any crop a farmer can grow and every farm that can grow legumes should have enough to at least supply the needs of the livestock of that farm."

For a number of years, Mr. Alvord was a county agent and at one time was one of the managers of the Taft ranch. He also has held several positions with the United States Department of Agriculture.

His headquarters are at College Station.

Mr. Alvord left Corsicana Thursday for Tyler where he will address a meeting there Thursday evening.

BASEBALL TEAMS.—Let us figure with you NOW on those baseball uniforms. ORDER BEFORE THE RUSH. City Book Store.

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Miss Hazel Atkinson of Hillsboro was here Wednesday to attend the funeral of W. J. Williamson.

## WILL URGE MOODY TO OPEN CAMPAIGN HERE, STATED TODAY

### ORGANIZATION WILL BE PERFECTED FOR BOOSTING HIS CANDIDACY

Local friends of Dan Moody, who are deeply interested in his candidacy for governor are arranging for a mass meeting to be held here March 27, at which time they will invite their favorite candidate to open his campaign in Corsicana, it was revealed here today.

A petition is being circulated among Moody friends and those interested in his candidacy to attend the mass meeting, invite him to make his opening speech in Corsicana and form a Moody for Governor club. A county organization will be perfected for promoting Moody's candidacy in this section of the State.

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## Court House

Items of Interest From Temple of Justice

**District Court.**

An instructed verdict was returned Thursday in the case styled Fortson Grocery Company vs. Anderson and Edens, et al, debt, for the plaintiff Fortson Grocery Company vs. Anderson and Anderson, against Anderson and Edens, against S. E. Anderson and J. N. Edens, Jr., personally and judgment favoring J. N. Edens, Jr., over and against S. E. Anderson, it was announced Thursday afternoon.

**District Clerk's Office.**

The following cases were filed in the district clerk's office:

State of Texas vs. W. A. Dobbin, taxes on 136 acres of the E. Lowry Survey (9 cases).

State of Texas vs. L. J. Fitzgerald, taxes on Lot 9, Block 6, Blooming Grove, (4 cases).

State of Texas vs. Mrs. G. W. Williamson, taxes on 93 acres of D. W. Campbell (3 cases).

State of Texas vs. W. B. Middlebrooks, taxes on lots 8 and 9, Block 4, Navarro.

State of Texas vs. Mrs. W. D. Williamson, taxes on 7 acres of the W. M. Cox Survey.

State of Texas vs. Mary Polk, taxes on lot in Northwest corner of block 277, Corsicana, (3 cases).

The above suits were filed by B. W. George, county attorney.

**Sheriff's Office.**

A quantity of corn whiskey, a still and a number of rifles, shotguns and pistols were found in a barn several miles south of Kerens Tuesday afternoon in a raid conducted by Deputy Sheriff Rufus Pevehouse and Constable Holloway of Kerens. Columbus Brown, negro, was arrested and brought to Corsicana by Officer Pevehouse in connection with the raid. He later made bond in the sum of $1,000.00 in each of two cases.

Deputy Sheriff Pevehouse went to Dallas Thursday to bring Bob Pollock back to Corsicana to be sentenced in the two cases affirmed recently. He will be sentenced five years and three years in two cases of burglary and robbery.

**Constable's Office.**

Thirteen one-half gallons of corn whiskey and a large number of bottles were confiscated in a raid in East Corsicana Wednesday afternoon by Constable J. J. Howard and Deputy Constable M. J. Hartley. A scaling and bonding device was also found. Three negroes were arrested in connection with this raid.

Two negresses were arrested Wednesday afternoon by Officers Howard and Hartley in connection with the finding of two gallons of corn whiskey.

Two white men were arrested by Officers Howard and Hartley Wednesday afternoon in connection with the finding of three gallons of corn whiskey in an automobile near Ward's Bridge Wednesday afternoon.

**Justice Court.**

Judge Sam B. Jordan fined two for vagrancy.

**Real Estate Transfers.**

Mike T. Edwards to J. R. Bryan, Lot 4, Block 470, Corsicana. Consideration $5,250.00.

W. A. Sims, et ux, to B. L. Moore, 77 1-2 acres of the Navarro County School Land One-Third League Survey. Consideration $7,000.00.

B. L. Moore, et ux, to Robert L. Moore, 172 68-100 acres 83 1-3 acres, 18 acres and 22 6-7 acres of the Navarro county School Land One-Third League Survey. $1 00 and love and affection.

M. L. Onstott, trustee to Dora Leach, undivided interest in 13.22 acres of the E. S. Cabler Survey. Consideration $10.00.

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Fred Pearce and Vera Wilkinson.
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J. R. Deen and Mrs. Maggie Butler.

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## BAD WEATHER SLOWS DOWN ACTIVITY BILL LOCAL CIRCULATION

### MADE ONLY TWO TRANSACTIONS SINCE NOON ON WEDNESDAY

Corsicana Bill was last reported at Rhoads Bros. jewelry store Wednesday, and the rain had slowed up business considerably about town and the circulating dollar had a dull day. Dull days sometimes come and nothing can prevent them, but there are more busy days than dull ones.

Rhoads Bros. spent the dollar for street car tickets at the office of the Texas Electric Railway Wednesday afternoon and today the dollar was paid to Hoyt Drug Company for cold drinks. The dollar was at Hoyt's drug store on West Sixth avenue at noon Thursday. It was dropped back into circulation.

Corsicana Bill has been out for several days now, and already has purchased something like one hundred times its value. It has paid for groceries, dry goods, hardware, drugs, candies, fruits, drinks and numerous other everyday necessities and delicacies.

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| 48-lb. sk. Lone Star Flour | $2.25 |
| 48-lb. sk. White Crest Flour | $3.10 |
| Large box Chinaware Oats | 29c |
| 1-lb. box. Morris Supreme Sliced Bacon | 48c |
| 1 lb. Mistletoe Butter | 53c |
| Good South Texas Green Cabbage, lb. | 5c |

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## TRIAL OF FORMER POLICE OFFICER SET DALLAS MARCH 22

The trial of J. S. Williams, former member of the Corsicana police department for manslaughter in connection with the fatal shooting of Jack Coker of Ellis county in 1924 in Corsicana, is set for trial in Dallas March 22. Williams was tried jointly with Earl Horton, special railroad officer, and Jim Green, member of the city force. Horton and Green were acquitted and Williams was found guilty of manslaughter and given two years.

Later a new trial was granted and then the case was transferred to one of the district courts of Dallas.

The trial here attracted much interest.

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H. Gentry, county demonstration agent, went to Fort Worth Wednesday to hear Secretary Jardine of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, make an address.

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# CATTLE INDUSTRY HAS GONE THROUGH FIRE SAYS JARDINE

## SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE ADDRESSES CATTLEMEN IN FORT WORTH

By Associated Press.

Fort Worth, Texas, March 10.—The range cattle industry has gone through fire since 1920 and has probably fared worse than any other major line of production, but the liquidation of cattle now has gone far enough to assure some degree of stability for the industry as a whole and better times are ahead for it.

William Jardine, secretary of agriculture brought his broad reassurance to members of the Texas Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association when he addressed their Golden Anniversary convention here today.

The Department of Agriculture is fully alive to the economic problems of the cattle business of which there are several, and is making every effort to help solve them, the secretary said.

He pointed to the extensive range studies conducted by the department of North Central Texas during 1921.

"It is a great satisfaction to me to foregather again with cattlemen of this Southwestern country, this time under conditions which speak clearly of returning confidence and optimism," the secretary said.

"The cattle industry has indeed been through the fire since 1920. Of all the major lines of production that were plunged into the post-war depression, the range cattle industry suffered perhaps most severely. Its difficulties continued long after producers in many other lines had begun to recover. But the range country has met its trials with the old unbreakable spirit of courageous self-reliance. It has not gone out looking for some economic panacea. The whole country pays its tribute of respect not only to the men of the West who have successfully fought through these dark years but to those men who gamely went down in the struggle.

"Now we begin to see daylight ahead, not merely in cattle but in the whole agricultural situation. Agriculture as a whole is slowly but surely climbing back to its rightful place among the great productive industries of the nation. The heavy net movement of population away from the farms has apparently subsided. Farm products have greatly improved in purchasing power, although they are not yet back to a parity of exchange for industrial goods and services. Land values show signs of improvement, at least in some sections, and farm property is once more beginning to find buyers in the open market. There are many sign that agricultural readjustment has proceeded to the point of real stabilization and that better times are definitely in sight.

# HIGHWAY CONTRACTS TWO COUNTIES CALL HEAVY EXPENDITURE

By Associated Press.

Austin, Texas, March 10.—Construction contracts calling for the expenditure of $1,240,683 in Clay and Liberty counties were awarded yesterday, the State Highway Commission announced today.

F. P. McElwrath of Corsicana will be paid $419,220 for laying 165 miles of concrete and 55 miles of shell roadway on Highway No. 3 in Liberty county.

J. M. Williams of Fort Worth was here today.

# CREAGER ADVISES COOLIDGE IGNORE WURZBACH KICKS

## DISTRIBUTION FEDERAL PATRONAGE IN TEXAS SUBJECT CONTROVERSY

By Associated Press.

Washington, March 10.—President Coolidge was advised today by R. B. Creager, Republican national committeeman from Texas, to take no stock in the complaint of Representative Wurzbach, Republican of Texas, against the distribution of federal patronage in Texas.

Creager said the patronage was being handled to the best interest of the government.

Wurzbach had charged that offices were being traded for delegates to the Republican national convention.

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J. Armer and Jas. Armer were here from Dallas Wednesday.

# MONEY FROM OIL LANDS WILL GO INTO PERMANENT FUND

## SUPREME COURT RULES ON MOOTED QUESTION FOR UNIVERSITY

By Associated Press.

Austin, Texas, March 10.—Oil royalties from the University of Texas lands go into the permanent building fund as a result of a ruling of the supreme court today.

In the mandamus proceedings of the board of regents against Gregory Hatcher, state treasurer, a writ was granted and the act of the Thirty-ninth legislature placing the royalties in the available building fund was held to be unconstitutional.

This action involving approximately $2,500,000 in oil royalties from the lands of Reagan county, settled the controversy of long standing between Comtroller Terrell and Treasurer Hatcher.

Hatcher held that the funds should go into the available fund, according to the statutes, and Terrell abided by the attorney general's ruling that the new law was unconstitutional.

About $1,552,000 has been held for a year in this litigation.

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H. M. Hageney of Houston was here Wednesday.

# BISHOP DICKEY OF WACO GAVE STRONG SERMON LAST NIGHT

## "DEGRADATION OF HIGHER THINGS" WAS SUBJECT AT FIRST METHODIST

"Chivalry is dying," declared Bishop James E. Dickey, who preached at the First Methodist church Tuesday night on the "Degradation of Higher Things." He rapped the divorce, the lack of reverence, and said that no nation and no civilization tumbled until after its chivalry fell.

Bishop Dickey was in attendance of of mid-year session of the Methodist Board of Missions which held its sessions Tuesday afternoon and Wednesday morning.

It is planned to raise $40,000 outside the regular conference budget this year. Attention has been given the $1,000,000 special missionary fund. The presiding elders from the various districts of the Central Texas Conference and a number of laymen were in attendance.

Bishop Dickey took for his scriptural reference the Fourth Chapter of the First Book of Samuel pertaining to the slaying of the Israelites by the Philistines in the battle over the possession of the Ark of the Covenant. The Ark of the Covenant was the written law and was kept in a sacred place and receptacle and was regarded as a holy object, and to the Israelites was prized and worshipped.

In the system of creation, the speaker pointed out, that so long as woman is regarded with reverence and held high with the chivalry that the Romans practiced for centuries, no nation and no civilization falls. He pictured the Romans who held woman in lofty esteem, for centuries were envied by their neighbors, but as soon as divorce and social pollution entered the empire Rome began to crumble and fall.

The bishop declared that a person's estimate of anything would determine his attitude toward that thing. He asked what estimate is being put on woman today, and what estimate is put on man today. At this juncture he paused to rap the modernist view of protoplasmic creation and said that high things must be viewed in a reverent light to determine the proper attitude.

Bishop Dickey referred to the young esquire of England who in chivalry threw his cloak down to save the queen's slippers from the mud, and she in recognition of the man's courtliness, directed that he have a new cloak for the soiled one, whereupon he graciously replied his cloak had been rendered invaluable by the prints of her shoes.

"Ah, but today, imagine a young man throwing his cloak in the mud to allow a woman to walk across it to save her footwear from the soil of the mud—he would probably exclaim 'Step on it, old girl, it is worth a million now,'" the speaker said.

The speaker discussed the modern tendency towards lack of manners, chivalry, marriage and divorce at some length, declaring that a person's estimate of marriage would determine the attitude towards it. He deplored the light vein in which marriage seems to be taken, and said if one believed it a holy institution the attitude would be correctly determined, but if estimate of the man is low, and of woman is irreverent, then marriage usually is followed by divorce and separation.

The bishop made it plain that although marriage is a sacred institution, he did not believe in basing marriages on sex selection and detested eugenics as sounding like the stall, pasture and barnyard but love as the binding force that makes marriage the beautiful success, and also stated that congeniality in man and wife are to be desired. Congeniality in companionship of husband and wife depends on suitability of mind and purpose. He mentioned the early reading of David Copperfield and Bulwer. The latter told the reader of suitability of mind and purpose as the main contributing element in happiness in marriage, while the latter declared that an intellectual man should marry a domestic woman, or a working man should marry an intellectual woman, as one was the compliment of the other. The bishop drew several striking illustrations that suitability of mind and purpose was the best safeguard against domestic infelicity.

"Imagine a working man coming home at evening and his wife get down a volume of philosophy or Shakespeare to entertain him, or discuss relativity with him," he said; "what that man needs is a domestic woman that talks to him about the chickens and entertains him with a plate of turnip salads and corn-bread."

He drew an illustration of an intellectual man with his eyes on the stars striving to carry out the work that God by nature and training had intended and he is married to one of "these little up the creek sisters, who cares for nothing but bridge and whatever you want to add to it."

In closing the bishop said that the estimate of God's work and divine creation must be kept on a higher level, and things that are holy should be held in sacredness, man is higher than th polly-wog protoplasmic creation as taught by the modernists, woman must be regarded in reverence and with chivalry and the attitude of sacredness taken in marriage to right the social situations complained of.

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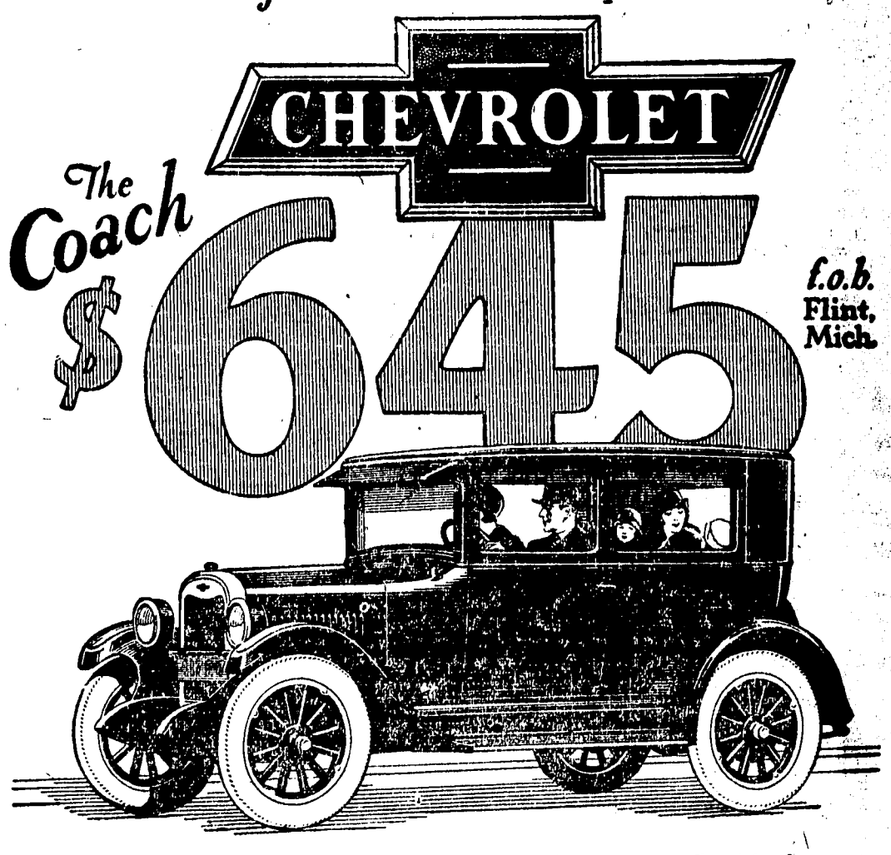

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# AMERICAN LEGION MET FOR BUSINESS WEDNESDAY NIGHT

## OUTLINE PLANS FOR COMING YEAR DISCUSSED BY LEGIONNAIRES

Members of the local post of the American Legion met at the hall Wednesday night and considered various things in connection with Legion activities for this year.

A regular meeting time was set for holding meetings during the year. On motion of Ballard W. George post members will meet every second Tuesday and fourth Wednesday night for the transacting post business. There will be special meetings held at the city lake club house on call of the commander with no set dates.

Commander Boynton reported that the Legion made net profits of $206 on the Lost Battalion picture schown at the Ideal Theatre recently. This puts a balance in the post treasury to start the year on and other activities will be staged during the year to further augment the funds. It is planned to organize a minstrel troupe this year, and stage shows in Corsicana and the various smaller towns in the county. This will be done as a means of raising revenue for carrying on the program of the Legion here.

Caleb Moss, scout executive, appeared before the Legion in behalf of the boy scout work, and to enlist the aid of Legionnaires. The Legion hall was tendered the Boy Scout Association for training quarters for scoutmasters. The post help was pledged to assist the scout work in any way possible.

It was voted to extend the Legion's thanks to A. W. Leverman & Son for painting done by them on the new hall, which was donated by them without cast to the organization.

Discussion was given the annual membership campaign and it was decided to start getting renewals Friday. A number of service men will meet at the hall at 10 o'clock Friday morning and will start work in getting members to pay their dues. Adjutant Majors reported a membership of 110 to date for this year. It is planned to bring the membership to 200.

# ELEVENTH WEEK OF DISTRICT COURT IS CIVIL DOCKET WEEK

Following is the setting of the eleventh week of the January term of the Thirteenth Judicial District Court for the week beginning Monday, March 15, 1926:

**Monday, March 15.**

14348—Navarro County Levee Independent District No. 10 vs. Jim Ashton et al.

14545—James Bennett et al vs. F. M. Bennett et al.

14557—H. L. Albritton et al vs. City of Corsicana.

13541—Anna Nelson et vir vs. Ed McDonald et al.

14542—Mrs. Artie B. Spann vs. Citizens Mutual Aid Association.

14544—Central State Bank vs. Mrs. E. B. Richards.

14546—James Spiller vs. A. Claude Smith.

14699—State of Texas vs. M. L. Odom.

**Wednesday, March 17.**

14377—Estate John W. Killough vs. E. R. Killough, executor.

14378—Estate Martha A. Killough vs. E. R. Killough, executor.

14559—Nancy Dixon vs. George Sparks.

14571—S. H. Jack vs. Oil City Iron Works.

14555—Mable Lee et al vs. J. C. Tynes et al.

14562—T. J. Walton Furniture Company vs. K. E. Mason.

14563—W. H. Barth vs. W. T. McFadden.

14564—J. E. Williamson vs. Houston & Texas Central Railroad Company.

**Friday, March 19.**

14472—Estate Mrs. M. E. Case, deceased, vs. J. S. Young, executor

14690—Mrs. H. E. Meador et al vs. The Pure Oil Company.

14701—Frances M. Richards vs. W. O. Bounds et ux.

14702—Magnolia Petroleum Company vs. Mrs. A. M. McEntyre, et vir.

14705—Navarro County Levee Independent District No. 8 vs. Alex Freedman.

15706—Roy Canady vs. J. C. Coleman.

14710—R. K. Motte et ux vsi Southern Ice and Utilities et al.

14711—W. H. Fendley vs. M. S. Moore et al.

# LIMESTONE SPRING POULTRY SHOW BEING HELD FOR 3 DAYS

## NAVARRO COUNTY HAS ENTRIES IN MEXIA POULTRY EXHIBITION

Special to the Sun.

Mexia, Texas, March 11.— The first Spring Poultry Show of the Limestone County Poultry Producers' Association and the Mexia Chamber of Commerce was in session here today, a three day event, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Exhibits were being shown from Limestone, Freestone, Navarro and McClellan counties and more than 400 chickens were shown, in addition to hundreds of baby chicks and large exhibits of eggs.

Housed in a brick building in the business district the show was attracting large crowds of farmers and city dwellers, who are interested in the new industry of this section—poultry production.

Prof. D. H. Reed of A. & M. College was judge and Ray Purcell superintendant of the show. Jere Cason, Chamber of Commrce secretary, was given much credit for staging the event. Cash awards and a silver loving cup are to be given.

### *Starling Not Wanted*

The starling is a prolific species, raising usually two broods of three to six young a year, and its rapid increase in numbers requires constant reaching out for new food supplies and nesting places. The undesirable qualities of the starling appear to arise from its choice of nesting sites in buildings, which it defaces, and its proneness to drive native birds from the vicinity of houses. In the Old world the starling is harmful. Its habits, so far as its choice of food is concerned, have improved a bit in the New world, but taking it all in all the bird is an undesirable alien.—Chicago Evening Post.

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## PETITION SENT TO AUSTIN REQUESTS THAT WORK BEGIN ON SAME

Special to the Sun.

Kerens, Texas, March 11.—A petition to the State Highway Department signed by two hundred fifty business men of the city, and every business concern in the city with two exceptions, asking that the Highway Department begin work on the designated highway from Kerens to Trinidad, at an early date, was sent to Austin Saturday. The designation of the state highway from Kerens to Trinidad was changed from the old road about a year ago, to run alongside the Cotton Belt railway from Kerens to Trinidad.

When this road is built another outlet for the increased population of Trinidad will be had. On account of the great plant of the Texas Power and Light Co. under construction southwest of Trinidad a boom has resulted there. Right of way has been secured all the way already, and Kerens people want the road as bad as Trinidad needs it. When the highway is completed as it is designated the distance between Corsicana and Palestine will be approximately thirteen miles shorter, according to engineers of the Texas Power and Light Company.

# ODD FELLOWS HOME MUSICAL BODIES TO VISIT GRAND LODGE

The I. O. O. F. Home band, orchestra and glee club, accompanied by W. O. Barlow, Miss Annie Barker, Superintendent and Mrs G. W. Hawkins, will leave for Austin Sunday morning, where they will attend a meeting of the I. O. O. F. Grand Lodge. They expect to return Wednesday night, it was announced today by G. W. Hawkins, superintendent.

# B. Y. P. U. TRAINING SCHOOL IN KERENS DURING THIS WEEK

Special to the Sun.

Kerens, Texas, March 11.—The annual B. Y. P. U. Training School is being conducted in the Kerens Baptist church this week. Rev. W. A. Corkern, pastor of the church is teaching "Doctrines of Our Faith," by E. C. Dargan, to members of the Senior and Senior Intermediate B. Y. P. U's. Mrs. Joe Sheppard is teaching the Intermediate B. Y. P. U. Manual to members of the Junior Intermediate Union. Forty-three members reported fo relasses and the social hour which starts promptly at seven o'clock at which time lunch is serven each evening, to all present.

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# FLORIDA BOOM IS SETTLING—LOOKING TOWARD TEXAS NOW

W. B. Landrum of Mexia was in Corsicana Thursday en route to Jacksonville, Texas, where he will look over the oil situation in that section. Mr. Landrum has been in Miami, Florida, for the past few months engaged in the real estate business.

It was pointed out by Mr. Landrum that the Florida land boom was rapidly reaching a settler basis and that there was much talk of a Texas land boom now. Operatives in Florida are now turning their attention to Southwest Texas and the coast country Mr. Landrum stated.

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**Zion's Rest Cemetery Meeting.**

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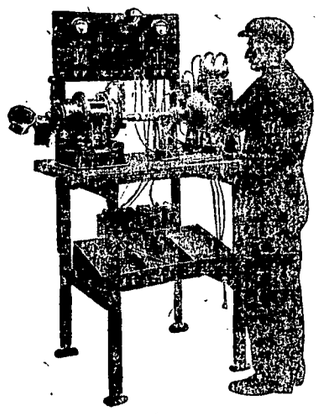

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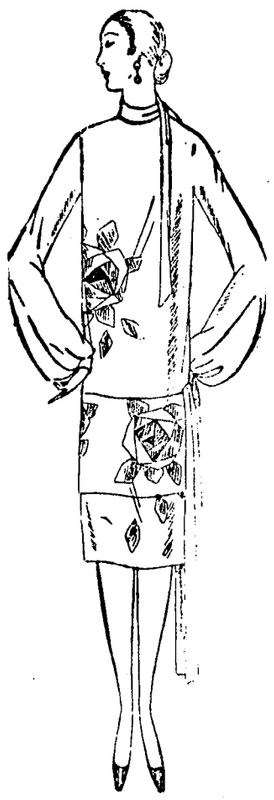

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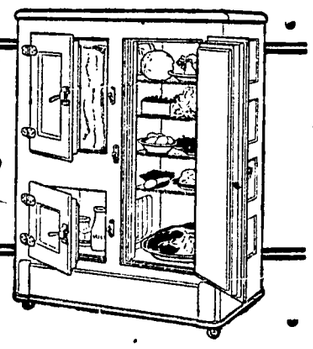
*Opening of our Spring Refrigerator Sale*



NOW ready! Our great Refrigerator Display. Your chance to inspect the various models of the famous Leonard Cleanable—favorite of housewives for 43 years. Made in Grand Rapids, Michigan. Even though you are not ready to buy, come and learn about the many superior features that have won leadership for the Leonard.

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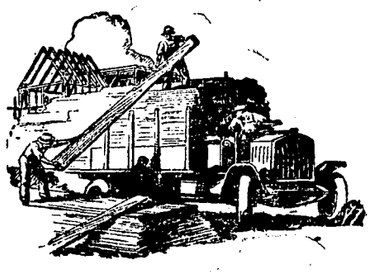

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# Society

### Missionary Society.

The Missionary Society of Max Avenue Methodist Church met Monday, March 8, with a fairly good attendance. Owing to quite a bit of sickness several members were absent. The president read a chaper in Saint John's gospel, and had a prayer by Mrs. Bass. This being business meeting day, we took up some unfinished business and then discussed some new business and planned for a market sale Saturday the 13th on Beaton street. We will have nice home-made cakes, pies, candy and various things to sell. We ask the co-operation of the public to patronize us; we will give you your money's worth. This money will go to the parsonage, for its needs at Max avenue. The committee also planned the program for Easter, the first Sunday in April. We also planned our social meeting for the fourth Monday afternoon at a private home on First avenue. We will render a Misisonary program and serve cake and chocolate.

Our Missionary program was a success Sunday night and the sermon was extra good. As I have said before, Bro. Utley is a fine, spiritual preacher, and if you don't believe the writer come and judge for yourself. Pray for us that Max Avenue may broadcast the kingdom of heaven to souls of men that are in sin and despair and help each other in this life to a better life beyond, is my prayer.

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### Barry Local News.

Special to the Sun.

Barry, Texas, March 11.—Mrs. Bourland spent last week in Corsicana with her son, Bud.

Will Schuyler braved the mud and slush to Corsicana Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Watson Castellow and little daughter of Fort Worth were visiting relatives here Sunday.

Mr. Willie Blue and Miss Mayo of Corsicana spent Sunday with their cousins Misses Arlee and Ivy Morgan.

Ralph Varnell had business in Corsicana Saturday afternoon.

Miss Maud Pollen spent the week-end with home folks at Rice.

Miss Floy Castellow who has been in Corsicana since her mother has been in the hospital there, was out home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ida Taylor has been quite sick at her daughter's at Blooming Grove since Wednesday of last week.

O. M. Woodruff went to Corsicana Monday afternoon.

W. T. Woodruff, L. W. Varnell and O. M. Woodruff attended court at Athens Thursday and Friday of last week.

Rev. H. B. Prater of Dallas filled his regular appointment at Baptist church Sunday and Sunday evening.

Dr. Herring, one of our former physicians, but who resides in Dallas county, was on our streets Monday shaking hands with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Boswell made a business trip to Corsicana Monday.

The two Payne brothers and Valmon Moore of Memphis, Texas, are spending the week with relatives.

Carpenter Eason was called to Lamesa Sunday afternoon to the bedside of his sister, Ethel, who is dangerously ill with pneumonia. Miss Una Freeman went with him. They left late Sunday afternoon to drive through that night.

Grandma Cruse spent the first part of the week with relatives at Blooming Grove.

Sig Poyell spent the week-end in Corsicana.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Varnell are the proud parents of a boy. Mother and babe doing well.

Mrs. S. B. Hodkins of Blooming Grove is spending the week with her new grandson.

Ed Watson of Wheeler visited friends and relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Varnell had business in Corsicana Monday afternoon.

The P. T. A. will give a plate supper Friday night, March 20th, the proceeds to be used for the benefit of the school. Chicken, dressing, bread, pickles, salad, cake and pie will be served. Everybody interested in the school will be expected to help both in donating supper and buying plates. A program will be arranged for entertainment.

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### Blooming Grove News.

Special to the Sun.

Blooming Grove, Texas, March 11.—R. L. Harris is in Fort Worth atending the Fat Stock Show.

Mrs. Florence Blair of Waco who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. A. High, has extended her visit to Corsicana.

Mrs. Bob Connally of Italy has returned home after a visit to her mother, Mrs. C. N. Dillingham.

Mrs. J. A. Smith has been visiting in Corsicana.

J. R. Griffin was transacting business in Corsicana.

F. H. Simpson was transacting business in Dallas and Fort Worth.

C. L. Tillman and family are in Fort Worth.

W. J. Sturlock is transacting business in Athens.

Mrs. Ella Blair is in Fort Worth the guest of her daughter, Mrs. G. C. Wellborn.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Dillingham are in Dallas where Mrs. Dillingham will receive medical treatment.

Miss Estelle Thrash, who is teaching at Auburn was at home Sunday.

Miss Capitolia Corbin is visiting in Itasca.

Mrs. Benton Davis of Dorchester has returned home.

C. L. Boswell has returned from Fort Worth.

Miss Louise McCarnick, one of the teachers in Purdon, was here for the week-end.

Mrs. J. S. Stubbs is leaving for Sanger where she will join her husband. They will make their home there.

Miss Ina Leverett was in Hillsboro for the week-end.

Jim Glenn has returned from a business trip to Dallas.

Rev. B. R. Wagner attended the conference Board of Missions which met at the First Methodist church, Corsicana.

Mrs. E. W. Warnell of Corsicana has been the guest of Mrs. S. M. Woodward.

The Senior League presented a play at the Methodist church entitled, "The Minister's Wife." It was a very enjoyable entertainment and a nice sum of money was raised for missions.

Mrs. V. D. Burns was hostess to the Wednesday Forty-two Club. Mrs. Jno. Glenn won the honor of making high score. An ice course was served.

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### Frost Local News.

Special to the Sun.

Frost, Texas, March 11.—Mr. G. L. Summers of Texarkana and Mrs. George Tucker of Corsicana were the guests of their brother Mr. Charlie Summers and family last Tuesday.

Mr. T. B. Bonnett transacted business in Dallas Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Wade Smith and Mrs. M. G. Blakenship visited relatives in Fort Worth Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. W. A. Ross and children are visiting relatives in Dallas this week.

Mr. Will Beck made a business trip to Dallas Monday.

Mr. Ed Sheppard left Monday for Detroit, Mich, where he will attend the Ford dealers' meeting.

Messrs. Edgar English and D. B. Minns of Corsicana visited relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Bradley spent the week end with friends of Brandon.

Mr. Will Ellis and family and Mrs. George Cavanaugh of Wichita Falls spent the week end here with relatives.

Mrs. T. T. Quast of Sweetwater is the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Ellis.

W. L. Merrill of Corsicana was a Frost visitor Saturday.

Messrs. Ernest Hooser and John Summers attended the Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bourman and baby visited relatives in Fort Worth Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Maggie Johnson is attending the W. M. council meeting at Raleigh, North Carolina.

Misses Inez Campbell and Marie Estes spent the week end in Waxahachie.

Mr. A. M. Keathley spent part of last week in Corsicana in the interest of his campaign.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Harrington and Mrs. O. L. Brown visited in Dallas last Sunday.

Mrs. Maynor McGee and daughters of Baynard, New Mexico, were the guests Monday of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Beene.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Lattimore, Mrs. Charles McMichen and Mrs. J. E. Lattimore and son John Jr., were shopping in Corsicana Wednesday.

Messrs Max Tatum and Coleman Keathley of Corsicana were Frost visitors Sunday.

Miss Lena Scott is visiting friends in Houston.

Miss Ethel Hyer returned to her home in Dallas Sunday.

Mrs. Weavka, Mrs. Bell and daughter Tonnie of Ennis were the guests Thursday of Mrs. Weavka, daughter of Mrs. J. B. Scott.

Mr. J. B. Shaw and Mrs. Miller Shaw were in Dallas Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Searcy, Mmes. Charlie Searcey and Fred Grimes, Jr., spent Monday in Waxahachie.

Mrs. B. F. Pribyl of Victoria is the guest of her daughter Mrs. A. F. Kruppa.

Messrs. J. C. Beck, Claude Anderson and C. C. Stephens were visitors at the Fat Stock Show Monday night.

Mrs. J. M. Beene entertained on Feb. 25th with a progressive 42 party in honor of her husband's birthday. Those present were, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Haley, Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Keathley, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Minns, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McMichen and Mrs. P. G. Griffin. The hostess served delightful refreshments.

Rev. H. B. Landrum attended the pastor's meeting at Rice Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. L. E. Gardner of Abilene is visiting her this week.

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## MANY CLASSES ARE TAUGHT ARLINGTON COLLEGE IN WEEK

### NEARLY THREE HUNDRED AND FIFTY STUDENTS HAVE REGISTERED

By Associated Press.

Arlington, Texas, March 11.—Three hundred and forty-five students have registered for the present semester's work at North Texas Agricultural college here, Registrar D. A. Bickel's office announced. Of this number, 249 are doing regular college work in the 31 general departments and 96 students are in the high school departments.

In all 133 classes are taught at N. T. A. C. in one week, covering all subjects from the "three R's" to engineering, business administration, architecture, bookkeeping, military science, commercial law, pre-medical studies, stenography, art, machine shopwork, foods, clothing, textiles, public speaking, voice, manual arts, agriculture, and horticulture, dairy husbandry, agricultural engineering, animal husbandry, journalism and education.


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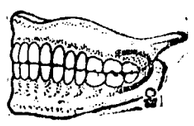

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**Very Low Prices Until March 15th Only**

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| $10.00 Bridgework | $5.00 |
| 10.00 White Crowns | 5.00 |
| 15.00 Gold Crowns or bridgework | 6.00 |
| Silver Fillings | $1.00 up |
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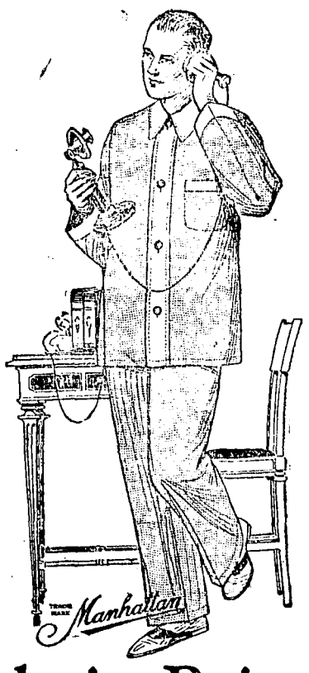


## Style in Pajamas

WE hope you are not a somnambulist, but if you *should* be caught walking in your sleep, how fortunate it would be that you had on your good-looking Manhattan Pajamas.

These colorful Manhattans are really a dream—they make ordinary pajamas seem like a nightmare. Come in and look them over.

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# The Great Wonder Shoe Sale!

## Is Still on and Going

**Now is the time to SAVE on your Shoe Bill!**

**One odd lot Ladies' Slippers ..59c**
**Slippers up to $8.00, this lot ..95c**

**Ladies, get your EASTER SLIPPERS for yourself and children!**

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# RADIO LISTENERS HEAR HISTORY OF ASSOCIATED PRESS

By Associated Press.

Dallas, Texas, March 9.—The history and development of The Associated Press, the world's largest co-operative news gathering organization, was sketched here Monday night in a radio address by Ray Baumbardner, manager of the Dallas office of the Associated Press.

Mr. Baumgardner told how the organization has grown from the days 75 years ago when carrier pigeons were the fastest manner of communication to its present world wide facilities, with 100,000 miles of leased telegraph wires and news writers in every country of the globe.

The talk, given from station WFAA, Dallas News, was one of a number given throughout the country last night by Associated Press men and arranged by Kent Cooper, general manager, to acquaint the American public with the organization which daily delivers the news of the world to 50,000,000 readers. The address follows.

"First, I want to give you a bit of history about the Assoicated Press, an organization that has been praised by the people of all countries. Seventy-five years ago when our forbears were engaged actively in developing this wonderful country of ours, still new and crude, there were no cables under the oceans; telegraphy merely was being experimented with, and I doubt if airplanes and radios existed even in sheer imagination. Gathering news was a new and expensive proposition and publishers depended upon forces of only a few men to get out their papers, at best indifferent sheets.

"Slow-going vessels brought weekly budgets of news from Europe and the thrills of columns of intimate happenings in foreign capitals that we now have as a daily diet were lacking. News gathering was an individual enterprise then, only one or two men engaging in it. But interest in the work grew and alert men resorted to pigeons and other carriers to deliver their stories ahead.

"Finally New York newspapers pooled their interests and formed a news association. This, in time, spread north, south and west and a spirit of co-operation sprang up. Publishers early agreed that it was a big and costly job and they were glad to work together.

"Morse telegraph and the Atlantic cables gave a new stimulus to the great work that thousands today find so entrancing. Newspapers in other parts of the country formed similar associations. There was a New York Associated Press, a New England Association, a Southern assoication and a Western association. They were patterned very closely after the original, and exchanged their news through a mutual arrangement.

"Well, out of this grew the Associated Press, without any sectional qualifications in its name, an organization that as we know it today takes in every state in the Union.

"I should tell you that early in the life of The Associated Press the newspaper publishers of the country, and they stand out as among the greatest men of the century, determined news should be pure at the source. There was no argument on that point. They all agreed that if news were not accurate, a tremendous injury could be done our people. Designing politicans or business men with pet schemes to foist upon the public might use such an organization for selfish gain unless news was safeguarded.

"So those who made up the Associated Press determined that their association should be non-money making. It was not to be partisan. Politics should have no weight in determining whether or not a man might be elected to membership.

"Another big principle was that the Associated Press was to be non-sectarian.

"It was not difficult for the publishers of various creeds and different politics to agree upon this, for they saw readily their one mutual purpose was to spread news. It is not and never has been a trust, as some have tried to make people believe, but a club operated much the same as any in your city, in which members make the by-laws and agree readily to live up to them. Each member said at the start he would collect the news of his territory and the Associated Press, with its wires and operators and editors agreed to exchange this budget of news. It was in fact a co-operative effort.

"Associated Press members receive news reports in amounts to meet their particular needs, some of 500 words a day only, others on one or more leased wires get from 14,000 to 50,000 words of fresh news daily.

"Associated Press news is written with the greatest care, for it goes forth to satisfy so many diverse interests. No editorials are tolerated. The facts only must be stated, accurately, concisely and in order, and the report must be well balanced, showing great variety of subjects and doing justice to all political parties, religious bodies, and civic or individual enterprises. Any tendency to run in partisan matter or overdo this side or that side quickly is corrected.

"So the Associated Press fairly has won the name of accuracy and it is well known that any error or any injustice is righted promptly.

"I have given you only a few of the reasons why the line, 'By the Associated Press' over an item brings confidence to so many readers, and it is estimated, by the way, that more than sixty million persons in the United States alone read daily Associated Press dispatches.


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# LIMESTONE COUNTY HOLDS FIRST SPRING POULTRY EXHIBIT

Special to the Sun.

Mexia, Texas, March 9.—With a building filled with exhibits of 25 varieties of chickens, the Limestone County Poultry Producers Association the past week-end held its first spring production show at Mexia, opening Thursday and running through to Saturday night.

Judging was started at 9 a. m. Thursday by Prof. D .H. Reed of A. and M. College. Walter Burton, of University Mills, Fort Worth, was a speaker for Friday in an educational lecture to the poultrymen and others discussed problems of the poultryman during the show.

A total of $150 in cash awards and a silver loving cup by L. S. Patterson were distributed to the winners in the poultry show.

Held in the Pittman Building, Mexia, the show was directed by Ray Purcell, a poultryman, and Jere Cason, Chamber of Commerce secretary. Exhibits were offered from Limestone, Freestone and other counties.

J. O. Bell of Waco was in Corsicana today.

Miss Rosellen Sadler will return from San Angelo Friday morning.

## COURTHOUSE NEWS.

From Tuesday's Daily:

**District Court.**

The case styled Mrs. Charles Simon vs. R. L. Reese et al, conversion, went to the jury in the district court Tuesday afternoon.

The grand jury was still in session Tuesday afternoon.

**Constable's Office.**

Jim Hawkins, negro, was errested uesday by Deputy Constable M. J. Hartley for the alleged forging of a $10 check on Arthur Pipe. The forgery is alleged to have been made Saturday. He is in jail.

**Real Estate Transfers.**

M. L. Crawford et ux to C. J. Risien, lot 2, block C, Neece Addition, Corsicana, $1 and other considerations.

S. W. Chunn et ux to J. C. Stevens, lot 9, block 18, Richland, $900.

J. W. Rainey et ux to J. E. Skinner, lot 3, block 540, Corsicana, $2,662.50.

O. G. Wadley et ux to M. O. Jones, lots 6, 9, 10, block 16, Emhouse, $1.00 and other considerations.

E. P. Gammon et ux to R. M. McFarlin, 40 acres T. J. Chambers Eight League Grant, $1,600.

E. P. Gammon et ux to R. M. McFarlin, 10 acres T. J. Chambers Eight League Grant, $250.

E. P. Gammon et ux to R. M. McFarlin, 57.7 acres T. J. Chambers survey, $2,018.41.

E. P. Gammon et ux to R. M. McFarlin, 77.7 acres T. J. Chambers survey, $5,439.

E. P. Gammon et ux to R. M. McFarlin, 141.2 acres T. J. Chambers Eight League Grant, Ellis county, $2,000.

E. P. Gammon et ux to R. M. McFarlin, 302 1-2 acres T. J. Chambers survey, $6,161.50.

E. P. Gammon et ux to R. M. McFarlin, 400 acres T. J. Chambers survey, $8,250.

E. P. Gammon et ux to R. M. McFarlin, 362 acres T. J. Chambers survey in Ellis and Navarro counties, $5,000.

W. B. Evans et ux to C. C. Weatherford, lot 1, block 490 1-2, Corsicana, $3,750.

S. H. Hornbeak et ux to W. H. Warren, west one-half of lot 6 block 1, Drane, Halbert and Peck subdivision of A. Hicks survey, Corsicana, $10 and other considerations.


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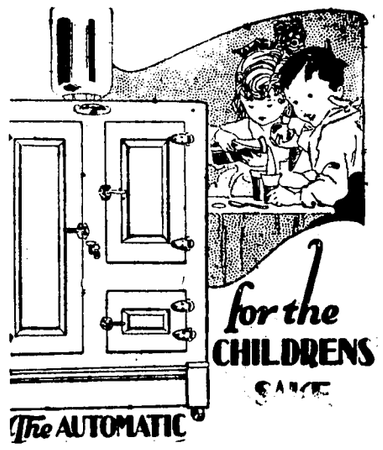


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# GREAT INTEREST IS TAKEN OVER TEXAS UNIVERSITY GIFT

## MILLION AND HALF DOLLARS LEFT FOR ASTRONOMICAL OBSERVATORY

Special to the Sun.

Austin, Texas, March 1 —In astronomical circles everywhere great interest is taken in the bequest of $1,380,000 recently made by the late William J. McDonald of Paris to the University of Texas for the construction and equipment by that institution of an astronomical observatory. Dr. H. Y. Benedict, dean of astronomy of the University of Texas who is very much elated with the remarkable gift, has received a letter from Dr. Edgar O. Lovett, president of Rice Institute, Houston, in which the vast importance of the proposed observatory to astronomical science is pointed out. Dr. Benedict and Dr. Lovett spent two years together in research work at the McCormick Observatory of the University of Virginia. Dr. Lovett's letter reads:

"The monumental gift you have just announced is altogether worthy of the high heavens to which it is dedicated, and the significance of the event, alike for astronomy in America, for science at the University of Texas, and for the advancement of learning within the commonwealth, can be estimated only in terms of those units of space and time to which modern research has had to resort for any human apprehension of its revelations of duration and dimension. But to my mind, and in all sincerity, even such aspects as these are slight in comparison with the satisfaction you will find in such employment of the imaginative reason as the development of the undertaking and its enlargement offer you after more than a quarter of a century's faithful occupation with the more mundane affairs of your university. And for this fine task of bringing the Lone Star at last into more intimate converse with its celestial neighbors, many, many years of strength and happiness to you."

## Corsicana Man Appointed Supervisor

W. L. Murphy, well known in insurance circles for the past several years, has just been notified by the Ben Thorp Agency of Dallas of his appointment as supervisor of agents in Texas for the Federal Life Insurance Company of Chicago. Mr. Murphy's promotion to this position comes to him after a very brief service with this large stock company, having been connected for the past fifteen years with different fraternal and mutual associations.

Mr. Murphy states there is at this time some 400 established agencies in the state and others being rapidly established.

It is Mr. Murphy's intention to move his family to Dallas after closing of the present term of school, where he will be more closely connected with the agency force.

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# HEAVY RAINS STOP FARM WORK EMHOUSE SECTION OF COUNTY

Special to the Sun.

Emhouse, Texas, March 11.—The weather man seems determined that we shall have plenty of moisture. We had a heavy rain Tuesday night which fell throughout the night. As a result, the farmers will not be able to do any work in the fields for quite a while. However, it is fine on young oats and gardens.

The high school debating and declamation contests were held in the high school auditorium Monday night. There were several students took part and the winners will go to the county contests when they are held.

Mrs. W. C. Bristow went to Athens Tuesday to be present at the dinner given for the eighty-first birthday of her father.

The following men were visitors to the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth Tuesday: W. R. Hall, I. L. Stokes, Kyle Stokes, C. D. Owen, Tom Bennett, Matt Vyers and Drew Bennett.

Miss Nancy Owen is working temporarily as stenographer in the office of J. Y. Roberts.

Misses Frankie Ferguson and Ruth Owen went to Richland Wednesday to visit Miss Ferguson's aunt, Mrs. B. M. Fluker.

We are glad to report Mrs. A. Derden able to be up this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kalee Harrell are the proud parents of a fine pair of twins, a girl and a boy, who made their arrival Monday morning.

Grandma Brown has recovered from a severe case of pneumonia, sufficiently to be able to sit up most of the time.

Miss Kate Dixon was quite ill the last of the week, but is much improved at this writing.

We are indeed sorry to learn that little Bertha Mae Ray is yet too ill to leave her bed. We hope to see her improving soon.

Mrs. Rosa Hart was in Corsicana Tuesday.

Miss Florence Tilton left Wednesday for Athens where she has accepted a position as stenographer in a business office.

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# FUNERAL SERVICES FOR AGED KERENS MAN WEDNESDAY

Special to the Sun.

Kerens, Texas, March 11.—R. P. Hope, aged 79 years, died Tuesday, March 9, at 7 o'clock a. m., at the home of his niece, Mrs. Ford Ivey. The funeral took place Wednesday morning, March 10, from Mr. and Mrs. Ford Ivey's residence at 10 o'clock, Rev. J. W. Sharbutt officiating. Interment was in the Kerens Cemetery.

# DR. LEFKOWITZ TO DELIVER ADDRESS CORSICANA SUNDAY

## SPEAKING IN BEHALF DRIVE BEING MADE IN BEHALF STARVING PEOPLE

The public is cordially invited to hear Dr. David Lefkowitz, eminent rabbi of Dallas, at Temple Beth-El next Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, who will speak on behalf of the drive that is now being made for $15,000,000 for the starving people across the Atlantic.

Aroused by the affliction of suffering humanity men and women in the larger cities of our state have expressed their support in a way that will very materially help stay the hand of death.

Corsicana's quota has been assigned at $12,000, to be distributed over a period of three years, and the drive will be conducted by personal solicitation to its Jewish citizenship only.

A great many of the people of Corsicana of other faiths who are interested in relieving such terrible situations have expressed a willingness to me to make a contribution to this cause, and I can assure you that same will be more than greatly appreciated.

Man is never nearer to the Divine than his acts of benevolence and compassion. The claim of the helplessly poor must have its irresistible force with us. By the side of the poor and the suffering stands God Himself pleading for his stricken children. Charity knows neither creed nor race. Child mortality in some localities in Poland is reaching 100 percent. In the bread line may be seen men known for their former wealth and generosity.

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## Heavy Rains Fall In Mexia District

Special to the Sun.

Mexia, Texas, March 11.—Rain of 1.75 fell here Tuesday night, making a total rainfall of 2.70 for March and putting an excellent season in the ground for the crops.

Corn is coming up and farmers are looking forward to a prosperous year in Limestone and Freestone counties.

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# TYLER PREPARING ENTERTAIN DISTRICT ROTARY CONVENTION

## EAST TEXAS CITY WILL BE MECCA FOR ROTARIANS APRIL 8 AND 9

Special to the Sun.

Tyler, Texas, March 11.—Tyler is making preparation to entertain the largest crowd of people that ever assembled in convention in this city when the newly created 48th District Conference of Rotary International meets here April 8 and 9.

This East Texas city is working as a unit to the end that the several hundred Rotarians and Rotary Annes, who will be with us on these dates, will go away from here saying "It was the best conference yet." There are several reasons for this concerted activity on the part of Tyler's citizenship, particularly Rotarians. First of all, "The Heart of East Texas," as Tyler is called, always beats with added vigor when this city is entertaining any kind of a convention, and due to the fact that this is the first conference of the newly created 48th District, Rotarians here are doubly anxious to start off the new District in proper style.

General Conference Chairman Reagan Still has not only the Rotary Club organized into active working committees but the entire membership of all the city's civic and social organizations are in the harness as well. Each of these committees has one, and only one part of the work to perform, and due to the fact that there are so many of them, each can do a thorough job in its particular field.

Not only the large roomy, and conveniently located hotels have thrown wide their portals to the visitors for this occasion, but the home owners here say that they will be glad to entertain any number of Rotarians and Rotary-Annes.

The committee on entertainment which is noted for it's former activities in this line, state that everything from mumblepeg to golf will be on the card. An exhibition baseball game between the Denver Bears and the Tyler Trojans will be played.

Rotarians of Nationwide renown, including William Lewis Butcher, Harry Fish, Tom Davis and Allen Street, will appear on the program. The "Big Night" event, April 8, will see upward of a thousand Rotarians and Rotary-Annes gathered around one banquet table in one of the city's leading hotels.

Tyler and Smith county, the hotbed of Southern hospitality, expects every Rotarian in the 48th District on April 8 and 9.

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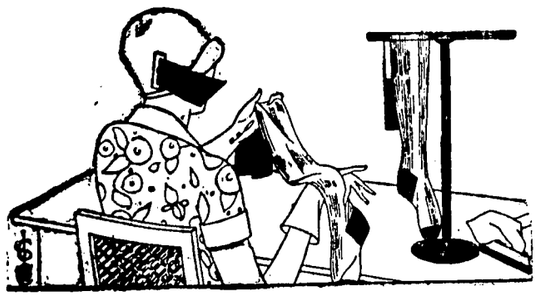

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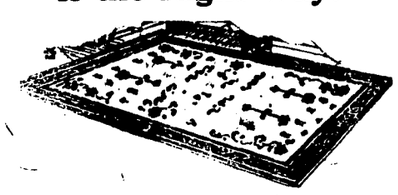

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# CORSICANA TIGERS WILL MEET DAWSON BASEBALL NINE HERE IN OPENING GAME FRIDAY PM

The baseball season for Corsicana high school in Corsicana will be opened here Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at Municipal Park when the Tigers will clash with the Dawson nine.

Little is known of the Dawson team's strength but the local fans who have watched the Tigers in action are confident that they will give a good account of themselves. A large squad has been out for training since the opening of the season and a real team is expected.

The team is coached by Johnny A. Pierce who is also coach of the football team.

The team will be led by Harold Green, who was elected captain of the team at a meeting of the squad Wednesday afternoon. He led the Tiger basketball team through the past season. Devaney Green, brother of Harold Green, was captain of the 1925 football team. This far in the season, the Tigers have been led by Greens.

Following is the probable line-up of the Tigers for this opening game:

Muns, right field; Wells, second base; Price, shortstop; Sands, center field; Graves, third base; H. Green, first base; D. Green, left field; Jackson, catcher; T. Varnell or David, pitcher.

A large crowd of baseball fans of the high school and the city are expected to be on hand for this game in the event that the weather conditions do not interfere with the contest.

A return game has been arranged with Dawson at a later date. Among other games scheduled for the Tigers will be two games with Mexia, two games with Kerens, two games with Highland Park of Dallas, one game ith Greenville. The dates have not been arranged as Coach Pierce did not arrange the dates until he has procured a schedule of the Corsicana Oilers so as not to have conflicting games in Corsicana. A definite schedule is expected to be announced for the Tigers within the next few days.

# FORT WORTH HOME FIRST TEMPLE OF KNIGHTS PYTHIAS

## JUSTUS H. RATHBONE, THE FOUNDER OF ORDER, LAID CORNERSTONE

By Associated Press.

Fort Worth, Texas, March 9.—The first Knights of Pythias Temple ever built, and the only one for which the cornerstone was laid by Justus H. Rathbone, founder of the order, was erected in Fort Worth in 1881.

Rathbone was a clerk in the War Department during the struggle between the North and South when he conceived the idea of a new fraternal order which at the close of hostilities should bind together again the war-embittered factions. From his dream has come a brotherhood of nearly a million members, constituting approximately 6,500 lodges in 58 states and providences. Yet it remained for the two lodges here to be the first to own their home.

It was shortly after the chartering of a second lodge here—Red Cross Number 14—that it was decided the newer and the older lodge Queen City Number 21, should build a "Castle Hall" of its own.

Accordingly, a site was selected and bonds amounting to $14,000 and bearing the then legal interest of 12 per cent were issued and sold, most of them to members. A three-story building was erected and Sir Knight Rathbone was invited to lay the cornerstone.

Rathbone came. On the way down he looked for the ritual to be used for such an event but found that none had been written. Nothing daunted, he composed a ritual on the train and had memorized it by the time he arrived. Shortly after the event he died without having had opportunity to preside at a similar function.

Twenty years after completion, due to defective material, the old building was condemned, razed and rebuilt, but its cornerstone still carries the legend proclaiming it "the first Pythian temple."

F. H. Pierson left Wednesday afternoon for Texarkana on business in connection with the oil and gas division of the Railroad Commission.

# ADDITIONAL FUNDS RECEIVED MEMORIAL BUILDING WILSON

## SEVERAL TOWNS OVER COUNTY SEND IN SUBSCRIPTION LIST

The following additional list of subscribers to the Woodrow Wilson Birthplace Memorial fund has been handed in to the Sun to be given publication:

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| W. S. Slaughter | 1.00 |
| J. B. Sawyer | .50 |
| J. M. Lee | .50 |
| W. L. Amonett | .50 |
| J. L. McCullooh | 1.00 |
| Cash | .50 |
| Total | $28.00 |

**Barry.**

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| R. J. Hodge | $ 1.00 |
| Carnes Heaton | .50 |
| M. E. Minister | .50 |
| L. P. Hodge | .50 |
| Jess Scoggins | .50 |
| W. T. Woodruff | 1.00 |
| J. W. Mitchell | .50 |
| L. W. Varnell | 1.00 |
| W. P. Bell | .50 |
| Luke Smith | .50 |
| Claud Watson | .50 |
| J. R. Scoggins | .25 |
| L. B. Welch | .50 |
| Total | $7.75 |

**Chatfield.**

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| R. H. Witherspoon | $ 1.00 |
| F. F. Blair | .25 |
| S. H. Hobbs | .50 |
| E. D. Satterfield | .25 |
| J. E. Mizell | 1.00 |
| L. L. Holsey | .50 |
| W. E. French | 1.00 |
| B. F. Marchbanks | 1.00 |
| W. C. McCouts | .25 |
| R. M. Hudnall | .25 |
| M. E. Cummins | .25 |
| W. E. Lee | 1.00 |
| Geo. F. Freeman | .25 |
| Jno. S. Finch | .50 |
| J. H. Holsey | .50 |
| O. J. McCouts | .50 |
| H. M. Hodge | .50 |
| J. T. Roe | .50 |
| R. M. McMillon | 1.00 |
| Total | $11.00 |

**Roane.**

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| J. J. Bryant | $ 1.00 |
| S. K. Fausett | 1.00 |
| C. L. Dulaney | 1.00 |
| E. P. Estes | 1.00 |
| J. R. Estes | 1.00 |
| Glen Curry | .50 |
| Miss Ona Manahan | 1.00 |
| Total | $6.50 |

# W. H. HASTINGS IS CAMPAIGN CHAIRMAN CHAMBER COMMERCE

General plans and dates for the annual Chamber of Commerce membership enlistment campaign were announced Thursday by President Sydney Marks, following a conference of the full membership of the executive committee. Dates were set for Tusday and Wednesday, March 23 and 24.

W. H. Hastings, superintendent of the refinery department, Magnolia Petroleum Company here, and connected with other business enterprises, who has long been active in community endeavors, has been named chairman of the 1926 Chamber of Commerce membership campaign.

Corsicana for some years has given a hearty support and a large membership to the commercial organization. Leaders of the organization are looking to a very successful enlistment campaign this year.

Within a few days, Mr. Hastings will announce the divisional commanders who will be associated with him in outlining a comprehensive campaign for thoroughly covering the city. In addition to a renewal of present memberships in the Chamber of Commerce, it is expected that a large number of new members will be added.

The strength of the Chamber of Commerce in furthering the interests of Corsicana and Navarro county is based entriely on its leadership and membership. This makes the annual enlistment one of the most vital activities of the year.

In addition to the item of finances, the campaign is expected to assure a stronger member interest in the organiztaion and will also result in an analysis of sentiment on some of the outstanding needs of the community as projects for the chamber to devote its energies to during this year.

W. B. Atwell, R. M. Cochrane and A. F. Morris of Lincoln, Nebr., are here today.

# ANOTHER BIG RAIN VISITED CORSICANA AND NAVARRO COUNTY

## WATER IN LAKE HALBERT AS HIGH AS AT SAME DATE LAST YEAR

Another general rain fell over Navarro county Tuesday night according to reports received here. The fall amounted to 1.88 inches in Corsicana and from all reports it was about the same in other parts of the county. This makes a total of 4.23 inches since the middle of last week.

Creeks and branches are again out of banks in some places.

According to reports there is more water in Lake Halbert than there was at this time last year. Elm creek was said to have been out of banks today.

Water in the city lake has reached the same level where it stood the same date last year. Recent rains have filled the lake to almost its maximum capacity and water from last night's rain continues to run in during today.

With each inch of general rainfall the lake gains about one foot in water. Rain during the last ten days has caused much water to finds its way into the lake. There will be an abundance of water for the city this summer for it is likely many big rains will yet fall during the spring.

Two more inches of rain at this time would put the water up to the spillway as it likes almost two feet of being up to overflow point.

The waters went lower during last summer than at any time in the history of the lake.

# SETTING CRIMINAL DOCKET OF COUNTY COURT MARCH TERM

The following is the setting for the criminal docket for the March term, 1926, of the county court of Navarro county, Texas, beginning on Monday, March 22, and continuing for two weeks:

**Monday, March 22.**

10,190—State of Texas vs. H. B. Ferguson.

10,172—State of Texas vs. Della Morris.

10,176—State of Texas vs. Frenchie Stama.

10,099—State of Texas vs. Anna Mae Evans.

10,108—State of Texas vs. Virley Collins.

10,167—State of Texas vs. Shields Brown.

10,166—State of Texas vs. D. L. Wiley.

10,192—State of Texas vs. Le Roy French.

10,222—State of Texas vs. D. B. Dees.

**Thursday, March 25.**

10,223—State of Texas vs. Bobbie Abrams.

10,221—State of Texas vs. Louis Marcus.

1d,219—State of Texas vs. Henry Berry.

10,208—State of Texas vs. Alex Harmel.

10,215—State of Texas vs. Morgan Lance.

10,213—State of Texas vs. Barnett Muerhead.

**Monday, March 29.**

10,184—State of Texas vs. R. E. McKnight.

10,185—State of Texas vs. H. E. Giles.

10,204—State of Texas vs. D. M. Holland.

10,199—State of Texas vs. Samuel Johnson.

10,168—State of Texas vs. Carter Keith.

**Thursday, April 1.**

10,200—State of Texas vs. J. A. Lance.

10,216—State of Texas vs. Joe Weber, alias Joe Webb.

10,170—State of Texas vs. Morris Killingsworth.

10,209—State of Texas vs. Odell Gregory.

10,211—State of Texas vs. Odell Gregory.

10,210—State of Texas vs. Boss Caskey.

All defendants, attorneys and witnesses and parties interested please take notice of the above stting of cases and be governed accordingly.

B. W. GEORGE, Co. Att'y.
WARREN HICKS, Co. Judge.
By W. M. Taylor, Asst. Co. Atty.

# LIMESTONE COUNTY WILL CONTINUE ITS HIGHWAY BUILDING

Special to the Sun.

Groesbeck, Texas, March 9.—Limestone county will proceed with the road improvement in road district No. 4, Mexia, as though nothing has happened, Judge Fountain Kirby, county judge, declared after reading the dispatch from Washington telling of the supreme court's decision denying a rehearing of the Archer county case.

"Unless some legal steps are taken to prevent we will proceed with all road construction work, and will do all in our power to keep faith with the investigators in Limestone county district bonds."

However, it was pointed out at the court house that the status of the county's efforts to collect road distric taxes from several large oil companies is in doubt. The oil companies submitted their taxes minus the road district tax money. The collector refused to accept the payment and had planned court action to enforce collection.


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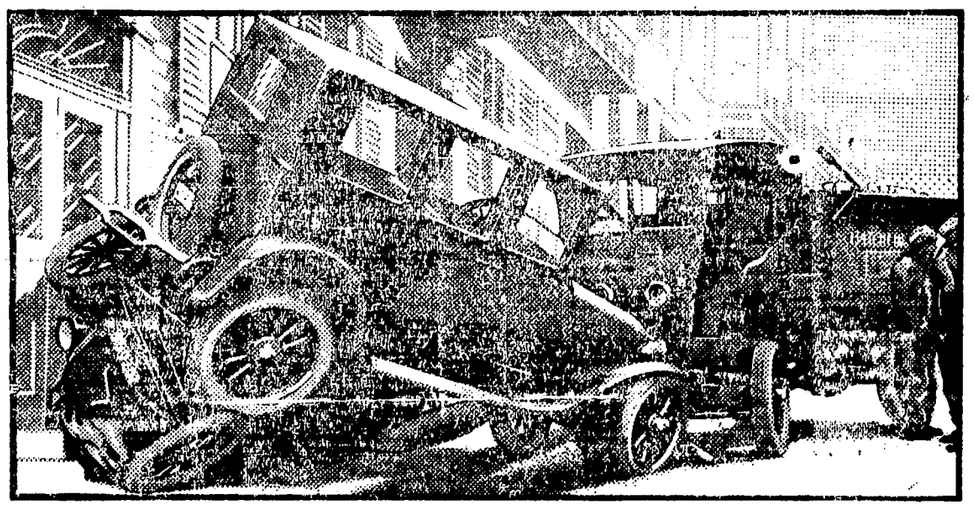

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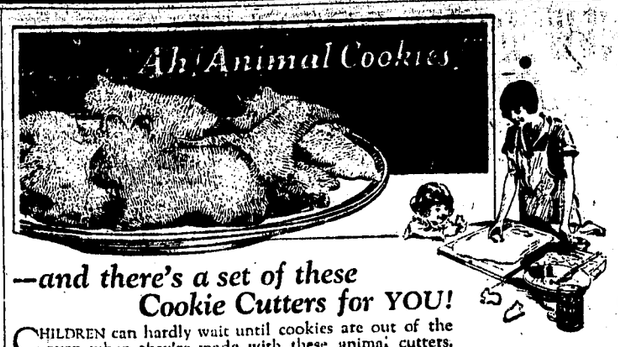


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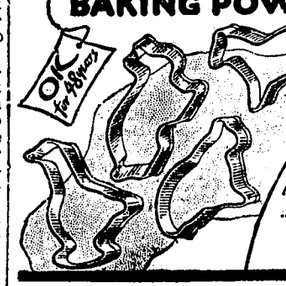

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# NEW FARM RELIEF PLAN PRESENTED TO COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE OF HOUSE

By Associated Press.

Washington, March 9.—A new plan for farm relief, proposing the elimination of surplus crops rather than the marketing of them, was presented to the house agriculture committee today by Edwin Meredith of Des Moines, former secretary of agriculture.

His testimony came during the brief interlude in the presentation of the case by the Middle Western delegates appointed at the recent farm relief meeting in Des Moines.

To take care of any unexpected surpluses resulting from economic depression, Meredith , suggested that the farmers pay an insurance tax of one-half of one per cent on the value of the principal crops, this to provide an agricultural guarantee fund.

No matter what crop is affected, he explained, this fund could be drawn on to bear its losses.

The principle is just as reasonable as any other form of insurance, he added.

He predicted that under such a plan the individual farmer would learn to regulate his acreage according to the national forecast for each year.

By Associated Press.

Wahsington, March 9.—The Middle Western farm delegation and the house agriculture committee with which they have been conferring appear to be making definite progress toward a farm relief program.

It was indicated Monday night that the bill being written by experts of the congressional legislative drafting service probably would retain these two central features:

A national Federal farm board with authority to solve crop problems through farmers' co-operative organizations.

An equalization fee, collected from the manufacturer, possessor or exporter, but deducted by them from the price paid the farmer, to provide a fund to insure adequate prices for surplus crops.

The measure is being drafted by degrees as the hearings proceed. Whether it will contain a drastic tariff provision, empowering the President to declare an embargo on any crop, has not been determined. Chairman Haugen of the agriculture committee has declared a relief bill would be useless without such a clause.

Representative Ketcham (Rep.), Michigan, a member of the committee, Monday added to the list of pending farm measures a bill to station "agricultural attaches" at advantageous points throughout the world, "to assist American farmers to adjust their operations and practices to meet world conditions."

William Hirth of Columbia, Mo., chairman of the corn belt committee, which came to Washington a week ago, was subjected to a severe cross-examination at Monday's agricultural committee hearing.

When Representative Fort, (Rep.) of New Jersey suggested thatthe delegation was "asking congress to force the farmers to do what they have been unable or unwilling to do themselves," Mr. Hirth replied that congress was asked "to deal with a situation so serious we haven't time to organize to meet it ourselves."

# RADICALISM AMONG FARMERS GROWING AS RESULT PRESENT SITUATION, DECLARES OUSLEY

By Associated Press.

Granbury, Texas, March 10.—Radicalism and a tendency toward revolutionary thought among the farmers is growing apace under the economical injustice of the present agricultural situation, Colonel Clarence Ousley, director of the Safe Farming Association, declared in an address here today at the More Cotton on Fewer Acres meeting.

This is the gravest aspect of the cotton problem in the South, he said.

He predicted state-wide bankruptcy if even approximately as much cotton is produced this year as was produced last.

# REPORTS OF OFFICERS APPROVED MONDAY AT MEET COMMISSIONERS

## COUNTY AUDITOR AUTHORIZED TO ADVERTISE FOR TRACTOR BIDS

At the meeting of the commissioners' court Monday afternoon, $50 was authorized to be withdrawn from the general fund and transferred to the hospital fund to take care of the claims of that institution for February.

The quarterly report of County Auditor J. M. Tullos was approved and ordered filed.

The quarterly report of County Treasurer Mrs. H. B. Jones, was approved, and ordered filed.

County Judge Warren Hicks and County Auditor J. M. Tullos were authorized to make the necessary repairs to the ladies' rest room in the county courthouse.

County Auditor J. M. Tullos was authorized to advertise for bids for one or more ten-ton tractors, one or more five ton tractors, one or more twelve foot graders, one or more ten foot graders and one or more road maintainers. The county auditor was also authorized to advertise for sale one or more five ton tractors and one or more eight foot graders.

# HOUSE COMMITTEE PROBING DESIRES FARMERS OF NATION

By Associated Press.

Washington, March 10.—The question of whether a majority of the farmers of the nation favor government control of crop surpluses was examined today by the house agriculture committee, which is seeking to frame a farm relief program.

William Hirth, chairman of the committee named recently at the Des Moines agricultural conference to confer with the members of congress on the subject, declared that so far as he could learn, the agricultural industry as a whole favored such a plan.


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We have on hand now Kansas Red Top, Kansas Black Amber, Orange and Honey Ribbon Cane Seed. Fancy Sudan, Dwarf Maize, Feterita, White Kaffir, Red Kaffir, Darso, Hegari, June, Sure Cropper, Squaw and Yellow Dent Seed Corn. We also have Head Maize, Ear Corn, Hay, Sacked Oats, Red Oats, Bulk Oats and most any other kind of Feed and Field Seed.

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# RICHLAND SOLD ALL COINS ALLOTTED IN MEMORIAL CAMPAIGN

Special to the Sun.

Richland, Texas, March 11.—According to information received from headquarters in Austin Richland disposed of its entire quota of Stone Mountain Confederate Memorial coins and is therefore one of the favored few towns that has so far met the requirements in this matter. The following letter received by Mrs. Kate Parker, local chairman, proves that the people of Richland are patriotic and always ready to do their part in any good cause.

Austin, Texas, March 4, 1925

Mrs. Kate Parker,
Chairman Harvest Campaign,
Richland, Texas.

Dear Mrs. Parker: We thank you for your letter of recent date enclosing report from your local bank showing that Richland has disposed of its entire quota of Confederate Memorial coins. We thank you for this information and also for your co-operation in this great work. We are today notifying Miss Millie J. Carter that she and Miss Bertha Moore of Kerens are the winning sponsors of Navarro county, and are entitled to attend the State ball at Austin March 8.

Yours very truly,
E. C. McCARTY,
Executive Secretary

The many friends of Mr. Madewell will be glad to learn that he is convalescing from his recent illness.

Dan Morgan, who was seriously injured when his horse fell with him some time ago, is reported very ill with pneumonia in the hospital in Corsicana.

Mrs. Earl Swink and little daughter, Alfa Earl, are spending the week end in Anson visiting Mr. Swink.

Mrs. Etta Sizemore and charming daughter, Edna Pearl, from Denton, are spending the week end with Mrs. C. L. Chambers.

Miss Tina McCrary of Waco is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. I. McCrary this week.

Mrs. Nichols returned to Greenville after spending the week end with her mother, Mrs. King.

Rev. F. L. Wilshire and family of Thornton are visiting friends in Richland this week.

Mrs. Carter has returned home after spending the week end in Ennis.

W. M. Fluker has had a beautiful building completed which adds to the looks of our town. The interior of the building far surpasses any in town. Mr. Payne will install a theatre within Richland can boast of having two of the best theatres in the county.

Madames W. H. Hartfield, A. N. Brown, J. W. Garland were out kodacking Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. McCord and son, Mural, visited their son and brother, Bernard McCord, who is in Georgetown preparing for the ministry.

Mr. and Mrs. Bishop Coleman Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Pierce attended the Stock Show in Fort Worth Monday.

The many friends of Mrs. Diel Lansford will be sorry to learn she will undergo an operation this week in Marlin.

Mrs. W. D. Brown, who has been ill, is convalescing.

Dick Moore is spending the week end in Elgin.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Brown, Jr. and Mrs. N. R. Nichols motored to Corsicana Monday.

Madames C. L. Chambers, Tom Rice, Etta Sizemore and daughter Miss Pearl, motored to Corsicana Monday afternoon.

The many friends of Elmer McGee will be sorry to learn of his illness.

Mrs. L. A. Wrigel is spending the week end with her parents of West, Texas.

Mrs. Heflin is visiting her parents in Thornton this week.

Mrs. A. C. Harris, Jr., visited friends in Streetman Saturday.

# CARPENTERS ENDORSE COMMUNITY BUILDING CAMPAIGN DAILY SUN

To the Corsicana Daily Sun and Semi-Weekly Light:

Local 731, U. B. of C. & J. of A. takes favorable notice of your campaign for the purpose of community building.

Heartily endorsing the slogan, if you might term it thus, "Spend Navarro County Money in Navarro County."

We know that that question involves the very life blood of our county and city. Rob a physical body of blood to strengthen another physical body necessarily weakens the physical body from which the life blood is drawn. We know as individuals and as an organization that our business men need all the life blood that flows in this trade territory that they may prosper individually, and thereby be in a position to render efficent service to their customers then their opportunities will thus be much greater to serve our community in all civic matters. We know and realize that they are citizens of our community (as you say) and tax payers, and that further they hire many other tax payers, for such labor, money as pay is put right back into circulation, thereby adding new blood to our circulation constantly and regularly which is the only antidote for stagnation and poison, in the finanical cistern; bringing on weakened circulation, eventually sluggish trade and finally financial ruin. That is the condition that will follow as we see it, if we should persist in spending our money away from home.

We are a portion of this grand citizenship you refer to in our great county and city; we are building homes, paying taxes, and raising families, with aspirations to see our community bloom in such prosperity that our children will raise up and bless us when we are gone from this sphere.

So with a united effort let us all pull shoulder to shoulder, for every move that will benefit our community and bless our prosperity. While we are the portion of the citizenship referred to by you as those hundreds that our business men hire, we feel like our system would be out of order and become disarranged if we did not see things as they are and work in harmony with the man who hires us, or you might say, buys our labor. We realize that to turn our wages, the part that is necessary for sustenance and pleasures of life back into the local channels of trade enables our employer to expand his business, thereby bringing back the rich pure life blood of industry through its regular channel distributing its benefits to each artery of industry through whose hand it may pass.

As we say, all we have is our skill and labor for sale; if we fail to sell it in our home market our capacity to consume is crippled and all our business is affected thereby, so let us spend our money at home. That is not as far as we might go, all together, let us buy our labor at home. When you buy your labor away from home you create the same condition as when you buy your groceries and dry goods away from hime.

Out of town contractors take all the profit in a job out of town; when he hires out of town men to do the job they spend what it takes to pay their board here, and the balance is sent home to their families and pays for homes in other towns, and buys groceries and dry goods from other merchants with our money that should go back into our trade channels at home.

We offer to the public labor and skill that we dont believe can be surpassed in the state, or any other state of our country, and all we ask is to be given a chance to show the public that these things are convincing facts.

UNITED BROTHERHOOD OF CARPENTERS AND JOINERS OF AMERICA,
Union No. 731, Corsicana, Texas.

# REORGANIZATION OF A. H. BELO & COMPANY HAS BEEN ANNOUNCED

Special to the Sun.

Dallas, Texas, March 10.—Plans have been made to reorganize A. H. Belo & Company, the oldest newspaper publishing concern in Texas. They will be in operation soon, the approval of the holders of more than the requisite amount of stock having been given.

Control of the property, the present value of which has been fixed at $2,725,000, will be vested in those now active in its management. There will be an exchange of stock of the present company for securities of the reorganized company. George B. Dealey, now the president and serving actively his fifty-second consecutive year, will hold a majority of the voting stock under the reorganization. Details of the financial plan and of the securities to be issued will be announced later.

The company publishes The Dallas Morning News, The Dallas Journal, a six day afternoon paper; The Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News and The Texas Almanac. Until 1923 it published The Galveston Daily News, Texas, oldest newspaper. The Galveston News was established in 1842.

Mr. Dealey began as office boy in The Galveston News on Oct. 12, 1874. Subsequently he served in various capacities. In the summer of 1885 he was sent to Dallas to assist in the establishment of The Dallas News, and became its first business manager on Oct. 1, 1885. In 1906 he was elected vice president, and in 1919 was made president. He has the title, also, of general manager, which title he has long held. His sons, Walter A. and Edward M., are closely associated in the management. They are the fifth generation of the family to devote themselves to newspaper work.

Mr. Dealey is, perhaps, the best known newspaper publisher in the Southwest. For many years has has been a leader in civic and philanthropic affairs. He is recognized as the father of the city plan movement in Texas, being primarily responsible for its development in Dallas, and for the employment of George E. Kessler by the city of Dallas in 1910. He is also a thirty-third degree (honorary) Scottish Rite Freemason, Knight Templar, a Shriner and chairman of the board of trustees of the Westminster Presbyterian Church of Dallas.

Originally the stock of A. H. Belo & Company was entirely owned by those who managed the property. Now perhaps four-fifths of it is owned by the widows, children and legal representatives of men once directely connected with the company. Substantially two-thirds of the stock is held by members of the Belo family.

This family consists of Mrs. Charles Peabody of Cambridge, Mass., a daughter of Col. A. H. Belo; her two daughters, Mrs. LeGrand Cannon of New Haven, Conn., and Miss Caryl Peabody; her son, Alfred H. Belo Peabody, now a student at Yale; Mrs. A. H. Belo, Jr., of Dallas, the widow of A. H. Belo Jr., the son and successor of Col. A. H. Belo, and her two married daughters Mrs. George Biddle of Philadelphia, Pa., and Mrs. Allen T. Morrison of Ashville, N. C.

These and other holders of relatively large blocks of stock concluded that it would be best to reorganize and vest control in those active in the management. Accordingly, a plan to accomplish this result was worked out and submitted to the stockholders. As has been said, it was approved, will be made effective soon and further announcement is to be made covering its details as well as giving a statement of the securities to be issued.

A. H. Belo & Company awas incorporated in 1881, having been a partnership prior to that time. In 1921 the capitalization was increased from $300,000 to $1,500,000 by a stock dividend. Aiding in the determination of the present value—$2,725,000—were Don C. Seitz, formerly of the New York World, now with The Outlook; Sam P. Weston, a newspaper engineer of New York, and James W. Brown, publisher of Editor & Publisher, New York.

Owen D. Young, chairman of the board of directors of the General Electric Company, and Ennis Cargill of Houston acted as advisers for the Belo family and the management in the construction of the financial plan. Legal advisers for the Belo family were Baker, Botts, Parker & Garwood of Houston.

George Waverley Briggs, trust officer and vice president of the City National Bank of Dallas, acted as adviser for Mr. Dealey and his associates; legal advisers were Locke & Locke of Dallas. The City National Bank of Dallas is acting as depositary.


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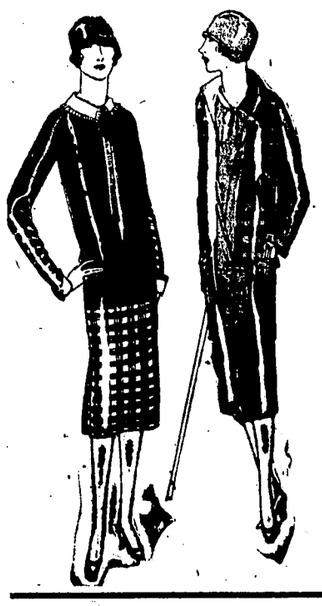

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A 32-inch Gingham of crepy weave. Every yard guaranteed Fast colors, regular 35c quality
**19c**

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Well, then, be happy—because you can have it! Put plenty of red cells in your blood and watch your weight go up to where you want it! That's what's the matter with you! Your blood is impoverished. You need more rich, red blood. S. S. S. is the thing to put red blood in your system. S. S. S. helps Nature build red-blood-cells by the millions.

You just try S. S. S. and watch how quickly you begin to fill out your clothes. Notice your skin clear of unsightly blemishes—your appetite increase—strength come to flabby muscles and vim and vigor fill your whole system. It's red blood that does it. And S. S. S. surely helps Nature build that red blood. S. S. S. is sold by all drug stores. The larger bottle is more economical.

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# LIMESTONE COUNTY COURT HOUSE ITEMS OF INTEREST TO ALL

Special to the Sun.

Groesbeck, Texas, March 9.—Three murder indictments, three indictments for driving an automobile while intoxicated, burglary and neglible homicide, as well as liquor law violations were included in the 18 indictments returned by the grand jury in Judge A. M. Blackmon's 77th district court.

Only a few returns had been made early this week by Sheriff Whit Popejoy, who is seeking the others for service of the indictments.

County prosecutors, including District Attorney James Kimbell, County Attorney Scott Reed and Carl Cannon, assistant, are making a determined effort to stop driving of automobiles by drunken people. Under the State law making this a felony the prosecutors hope to land some of the drunken drivers in the penitentiary as an example to others.

Among cases in which the indictments have been returned, are Louis Wiley, Groesbeck youth, charged with driving a car while intoxicated, and negligible homicide. A six year old boy died from an accident in which Wiley is charged. He was released on bond of $1500.

Dan Patterson, negro, is charged with murder and is on bond. Jay Gooden, charged with murder, and Maxie Hall, charged with burglary are also in jail, unable to make the bond assessed. Others of the 17 indicted are to be arrested soon.

Special to the Sun.

Groesbeck, Tex., March 9.—Coun-commissioners met Monday but only routine business was reported. Commissioner Ed Kennedy of Mexia was the only commissioner not present.

Special to the Sun.

Groesbeck, Texas, March 9.—County Judge Fountain Kirby has been busy trying the 100 salt water suits. The suits, brought by the law firm of Rennolds & Rennolds, representing a dozen or more clients against a dozen oil companies. Three suits have been completed. Judge Kirby estimates that at the rate he is going twelve months will be required to hear all of the cases. Compromise, however, is the possible outcome of many cases. Only a few hundred dollars damage is asked in each case, where property owners claim salt water from wells in the Mexia oil field damaged their property.

Special to the Sun.

Groesbeck, Texas, March 9.—Judge J. Ross Bell in 87th district court this week dismissed his jury without a trial Mouday and devoted the week to non-jury cases. Divorces, land title suits, etc., were the order in that department during the week.

# POLITICS WARMING UP CONSIDERABLY IN NAVARRO COUNTY

## THIRTY ENTRIES IN COUNTY, PRECINCT AND CITY RACES FOR OFFICE

A total of thirty-six candidates are in the running for county, precinct and city offices to date, and as the political season is nearing its opening interest in the biennial politicking sports is beginning to show signs of warming up.

With the announcing of Dan Moody for the Democratic nomination for governor, local political observers are busy in doping out the odds in the State campaign. Mr. Moody's entry in the gubernatorial race makes four aspirants for this office, which usually creates more interest than any other race.

The four candidates for governor are Mrs. Ferguson, seeking a second term; Dan Moody, of Austin, present attorney-general; Lynch Davidson, Houston, and Mrs. Ida Williams, Dallas. This gives two women and two men in the big race.

In Navarro county, Warren Hicks is seeking a second term for county judge. Mrs. L. E. Hervey, Frank R. Young, W. L. Merrell and L. L. Powell are in the running for county clerk.

W. W. Harris and LeGrande Woods are in the race for county attorney. There are six running for tax assessor and six for county treasurer. Ralph Carroll, A. M. Keathley, Dock J. Martin, Mose Wells, W. H. Chewning and W. B. Payne have their hats in the ring for assessor. T. J. Oliver, A. G. Weems, George B. Wallace, J. M. McFadden, Frank Mitchell and W. H. Smith are in the race for treasurer.

D. D. Hanks is a candidate for county superintendent of schools.

George W. Boyd and John W. Stewart, tax collector, and sheriff, respectively, are seeking re-election to these offices.

In the precinct races Jack Megarity is seeking re-election for commissioner precinct one, and Rod F. Kenner and N. F. Garrett are candidates for that office.

J. J. Sullivan is in the race for justice of the peace, precinct one, place two, and Sam B. Jordan is seeking re-election to justice of the peace, precinct one, place one. J. J. Howard is a candidate for re-election to the office of constable.

In precinct two, Commissioner Ben F. Guynes of Chatfield, is seeking re-election, in precinct 3, Mube Milligan is also seeking re-election for commissioner and D. T. Collins is a candidate for re-election in precinct 4.

Five candidates are out for city commissioner before the municipal elections early in April. They are W. A. Hammett, who is running for second term; J. E. Skinner, R. D. Fleming, R. L. Wheelock and Luther W. Ashmore. There are two commissioners to be elected.


**Women, Why Suffer?**

Fort Worth, Texas.—"A relative of mine received wonderful benefit by taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Her health was very poor for a long time, she suffered almost constantly with aches and pains peculiar to women, and never found a remedy to help her until she learned of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. She started taking it, gained about fifteen pounds in weight and got well. I took two bottles not long ago and it helped me wonderfully."Mrs. Laura Key, 120 E. 12th St. All dealers.

Write Dr. Pierce, President Invalids' Hotel in Buffalo, N. Y., for free medical advice. Send 10c if you wish a trial pkg. of the Tablets.


J. C. Hackney of Houston was here today.

W. B. Smith of Waxahachie was in Corsicana today.


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# PRESIDENT COOLIDGE WANTS PROVISION FOR PRODUCTION NITRATE AT MUSCLE SHOALS

By Associated Press.

Washington, March 9.—President Cooldige feels that any lease for Muscle Shoals should make definite provisions for the production of nitrate for the use in the manufacture of both war munitions and commercial fertilizer.

By Associated Press.

Washington, March 9.—Congress Monday approved appointment of a joint committee to negotiate bids for private leasing of Muscle Shoals.

A resolution drafted to carry over a recommendation of President Coolidge and already adopted by the house was accepted by the senate, 51 to 26, and sent to conference.

The senate added two amendments. One, by Senator Caraway, Democrat, Arkansas, would require that surplus power developed at the big wartime project be distributed equitably to states adjoining Alabama. The other, by Senator Lenroot, Republican, Wisconsin, would give the proposed joint committee until April 26 to submit a proposal to congress for lease of the project, instead of April 1, as voted by the house.

Proponents of the resolution, led by Senator Heflin, Democrat, Alabama, fought vigorously for its adoption without amendment to avoid the necessity of conference adjustment with the house and expedite disposal of a long pending problem. Opponents of private operation fought fruitlessly, but with equal vigor, to attach amendments to the resolution that would nullify its object.

The joint congressional committee provided for in the resolution would comprise three members of the senate agriculture committee and a like number from the house military committee; would be authorized to negotiate for private lease of the properties for not more than 50 years, and would be directed to reject any offer less remunerative to the government than that made by Henry Ford several years ago. Any bid approved by the committee would be subject to action by congress before it could be made effective.

Party lines played little part in the final roll call. Thirty-four Republicans and 17 Democrats voted for the resolution, while 13 Democrats, 12 Republicans and the one Farmer-Labor senator voted against it.

# LYNCH DAVIDSON'S OPENING CAMPAIGN SPEECH IS AWAITED

Lynch Davidson's opening speech in formally launching his campaign for the democratic nomination for governor of Texas will determine his status on the question of whether he will delve into the seeming impending Ferguson-Moody fight, or will reiterate his doctrine of 1924 of less political strife, agitation, crimination and recrimination, waste and indifference in office, and substitute therefore business efficiency, economy in administration, business methods of government, it was pointed out by A. A. Allison here today.

Mr. Davidson will make his opening speech at Palestine Saturday, and Mr. Allison has been busy all the present week in perfecting plans for the event. Since Dan Moody announced his candidacy, many inquiries are being made as to what position Mr. Davidson will take in his campaign. The public is requested to get this information from the opening speech in which the principles on which his election is being sought will be given full circulation.

The opening speech is being awaited with intense interest by polical obsevers and voters throughout the state, Mr. Allison stated.

"In view of the announcement of Governor Miriam A. Ferguson for re-election, which implies a defense of her administration, which includes the reputed highway department scandal, and the announcement of Hon. Dan Moody that he will base his candidacy for governor on the pronounced antagonism he has shown against the highway commission's official record, Hon. Lynch Davidson's opening speech is being awaited with intense interest," commented Mr. Allison.

"It is of burning interest to the public to learn whether Mr. Davidson will try to put into effect as governor the program he advocated in 1924 of less political strife, agitation, crimination and recrimination, and waste and indifference in office, which he alleged cost something like thirty per cent of operating the state, county and nation, and substitute therefor business efficiency, economy in administration, business methods of government, or enter into the bitter fight that promises to soon be waged between Moody and Ferguson," Mr. Allison continued.

Mr. Allison predicts large delegations from various sections of the state will be present at Palestine to hear Mr. Davidson's opening speech. Large preparations are being made, and Palestine people are very much interested in making the event one of the outstanding features in the annals of Texas politics.

# ELECTION SCHOOL TRUSTEES NAVARRO COUNTY OUTLINED

The following notice has been prepared by J. M. McClung, county superintendent, relative to election of school trustees and the proceedure for the official placing of names on the ballots:

Notice to School Trustees Common and Independent School Districts.

Your attention is called to the fact that the Thirty-ninth Legislature amended the law governing election of school trustees, by providing what should constitute an official ballot and providing the procedure in placing the names of persons upon the ballot.

"The law provides that any person desiring to have his name placed on said official ballot, as a candidate for the office of trustee of a common school district or independent school district shall at least ten days before said election, file a written request with the County Judge of the county in which said district is located, requesting that his name be placed on the official ballot, and no candidate shall have his name printed on said ballot unless he has complied with the provisions of the law; provided that five or more resident, qualified voters in the district may request that certain names be printed on the ballot."

It is necessary that this law be complied with in order for the election of school trustees to be legal and those desiring to have their names placed on the ballot will have to have their petition in the hands of the County Judge on or before Tuesday, March 23, 1926.

J. M. McCLUNG,
County Superintendent.

# MINERAL WELLS MAN VISITED CORSICANA; SAYS ROADS WORST

C. W. Wilson, manager of the Mineral Wells Index, and little nice motored to Corsicana today to attend the Central Texas Mid-Year District Conference of the Methodist church. Mr. Wilson was very much impressed with the growth of the city, but stated that the worst roads he had ever driven over were the Navarro county roads, as he thought that his car would be shaken to pieces before arriving in the city.

Mr. Wilson is from one of the livest little cities in West Texas where they have many miles of hard surfaced roads, and where the roads leading into the city can be used 365 days in the year. He also stated that work would begin soon on their new $1,000,000 hotel which will replace the one recently burned, same to be built by the Baker Hotel interests.

## COURTHOUSE NEWS.

From Wednesday's Daily:

**District Court.**

The grand jury adjourned Tuesday afternoon after being in session two days and returned eleven indictments as follows: Violation of the prohibition laws, 4; seduction, 1; forgery, 1; rape, 2; swindling, 2; embezzlement and conversion, 1. The grand jury adjourned until Monday, March 22.

The jury in the case styled Mrs. Charles Simon vs. R. L. Reese, et al, conversion, returned a verdict late Tuesday for the defendant, it was announced Wednesday.

The case styled Fortson Grocery Company vs. Anderson & Edens, et al, suit for debt, was on trial Wednesday afternoon.

**Real Estate Transfers.**

T. P. Kerr to Steve DeGriffin, lot 6 in Fleming and Kerr Addition, Corsicana. Consideration $150.00.

P. J. Jones, et ux, to Mrs. J. F. Reed, Lot 9, Block 2, W. S. Price Addition, Kerens. Consideration $550.00.


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